

# Anomalous transport phenomena at finite temperature

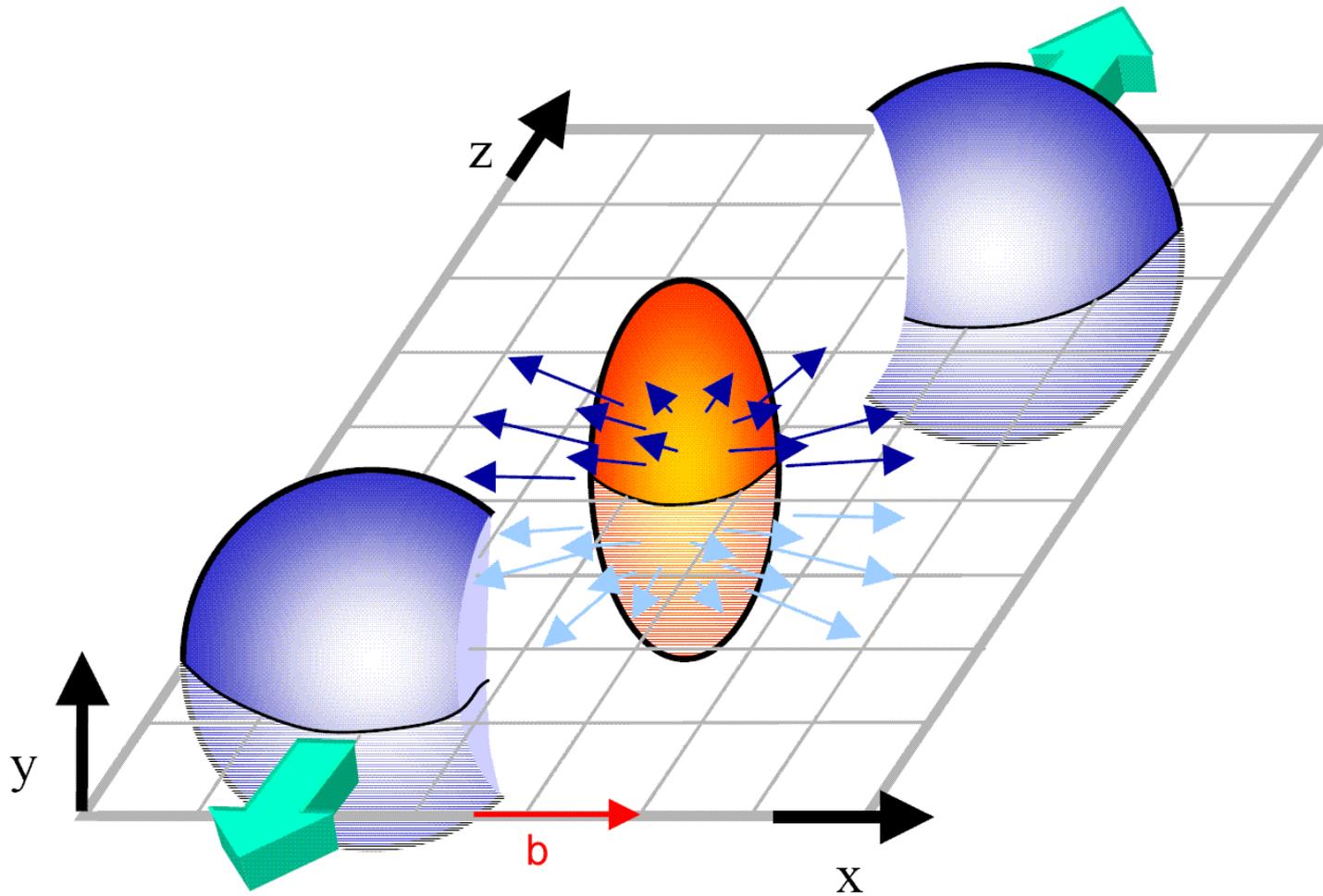
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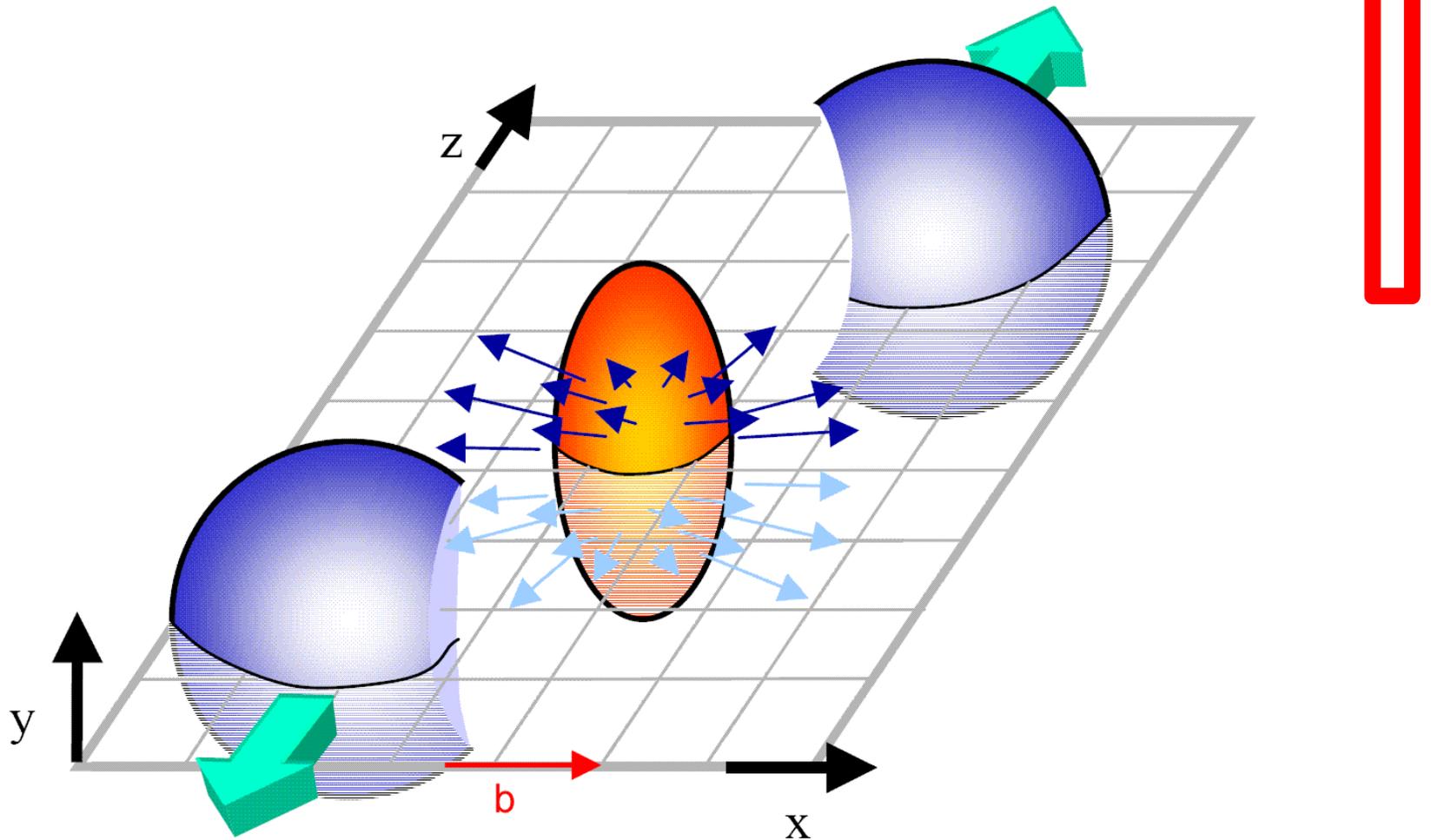
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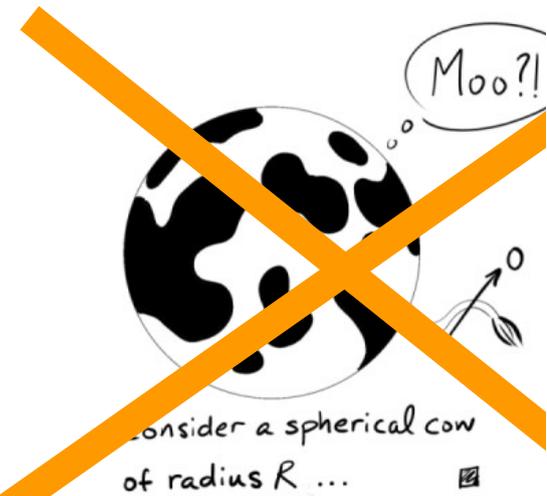
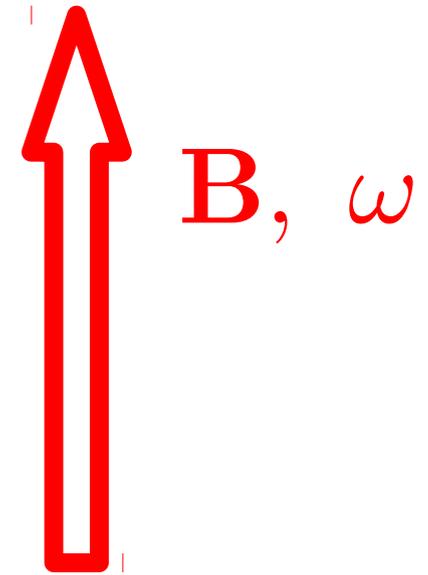
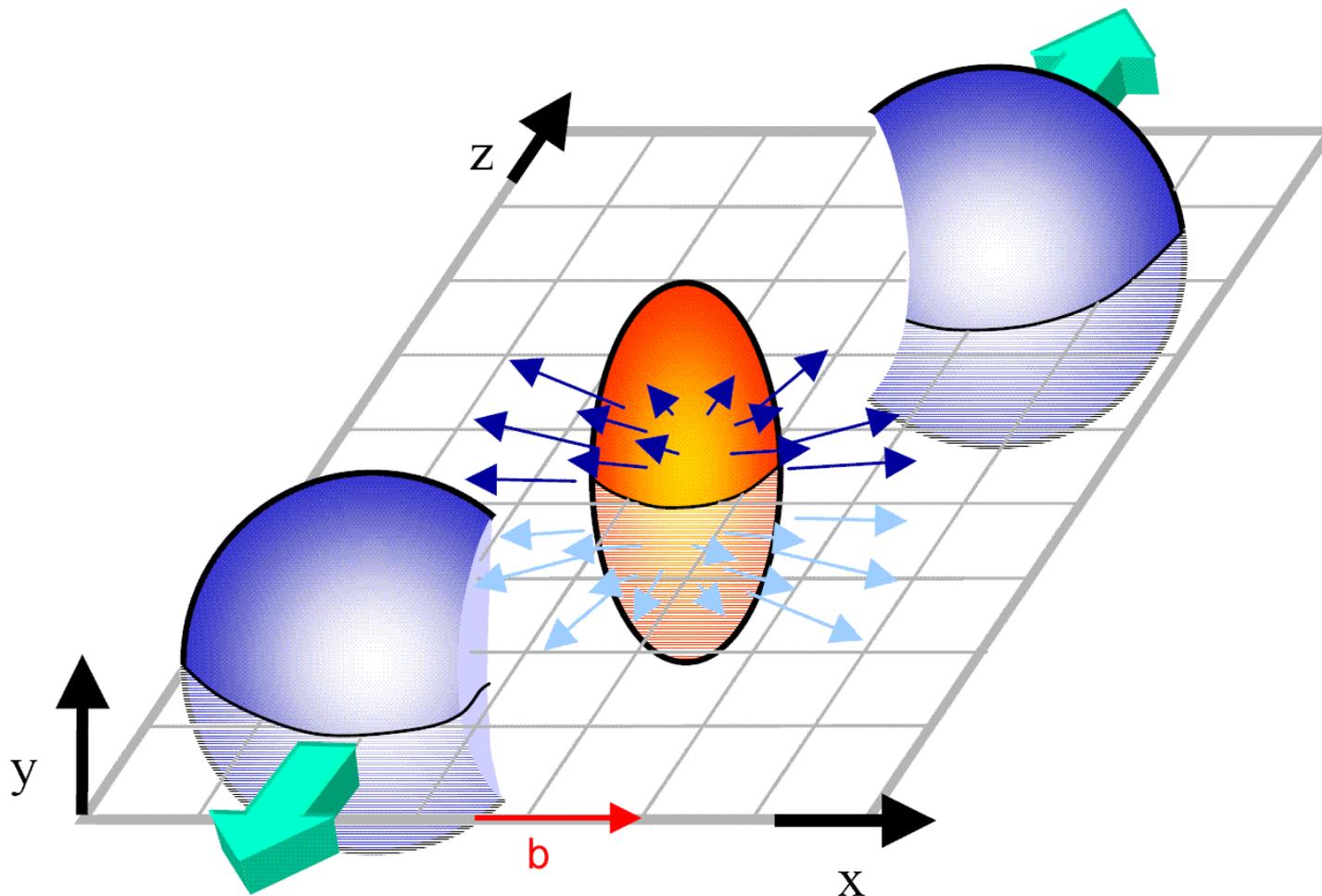
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# Outline

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## ➤ **Phenomenology**

currents in the QGP  
CME, CSE, CESE, CVE...  
possible ways to measure

## ➤ **What's anomalous?**

origin of chiral imbalance  
universality of the static CME conductivity  
hydrodynamic descr. of chiral medium

## ➤ **What theory predicts**

linear response computation  
non-static setup for the CME conductivity

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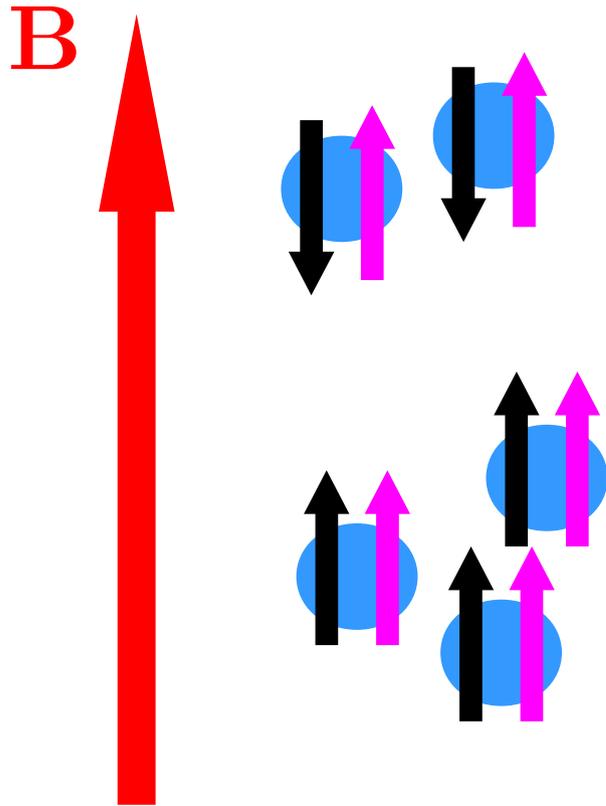
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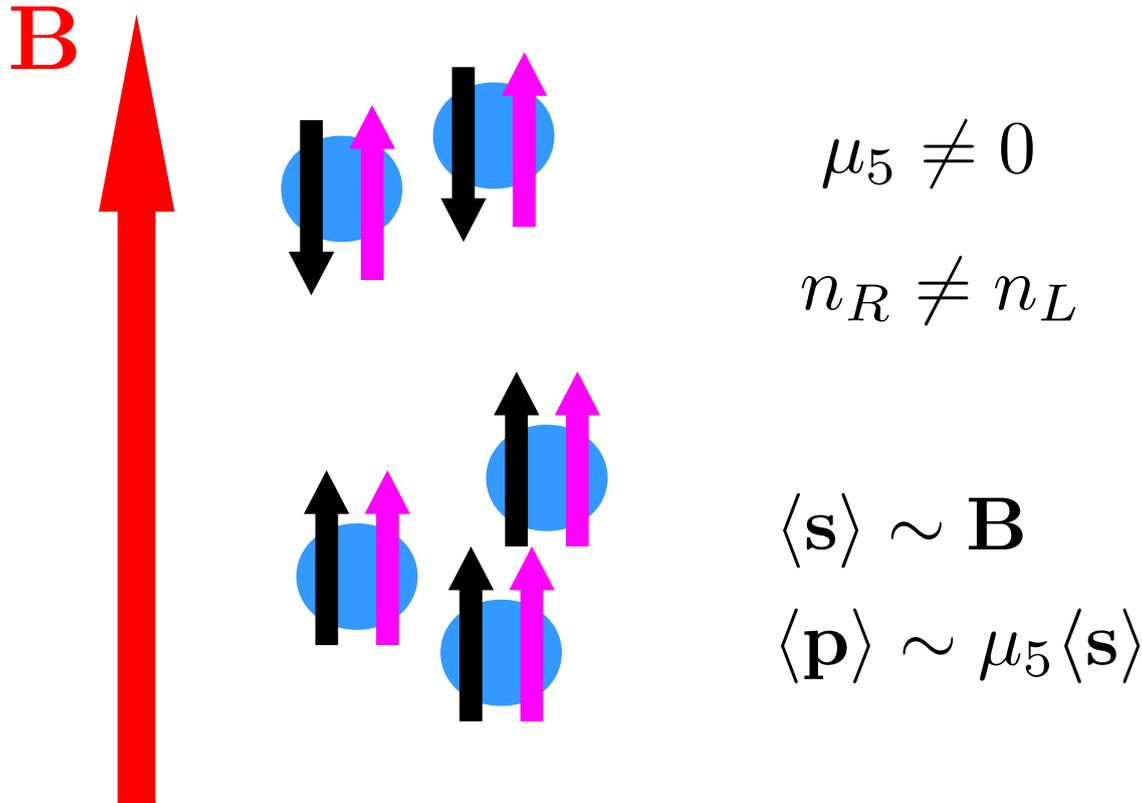
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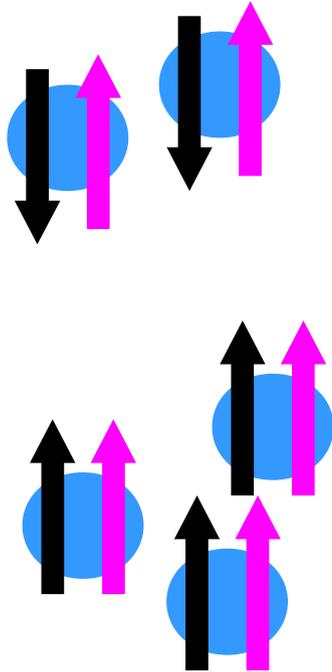
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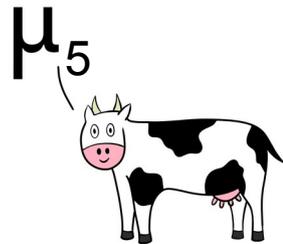
$$n_R \neq n_L$$

$$\langle \mathbf{s} \rangle \sim \mathbf{B}$$

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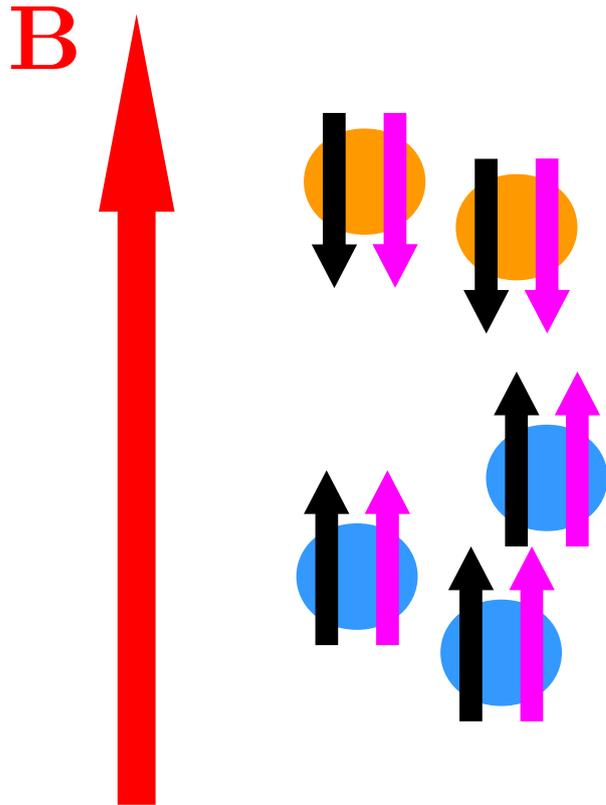
$$\mathbf{J} = \sigma \mathbf{E} + C_A \mu_5 \mathbf{B}$$



*chiral imbalance!*

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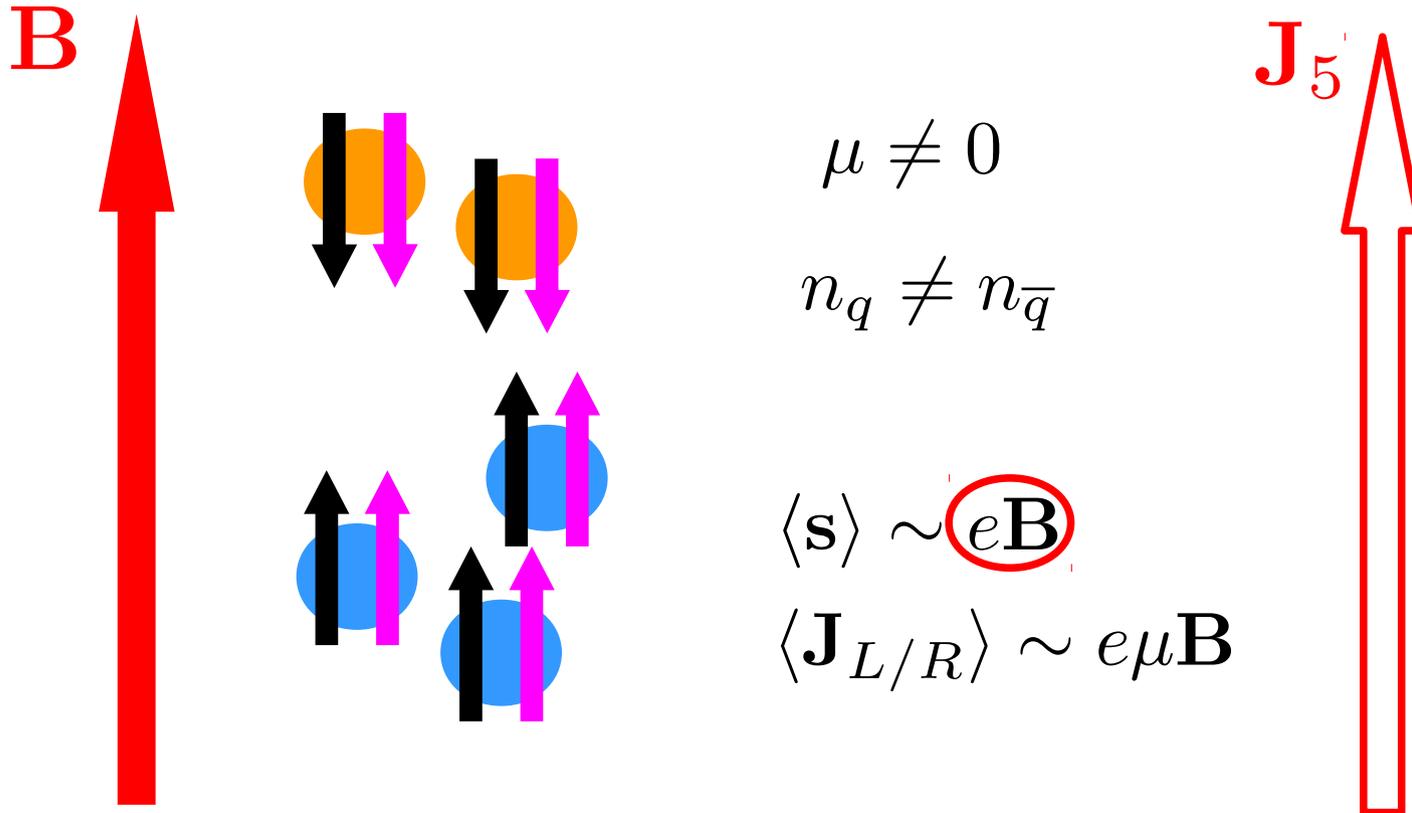
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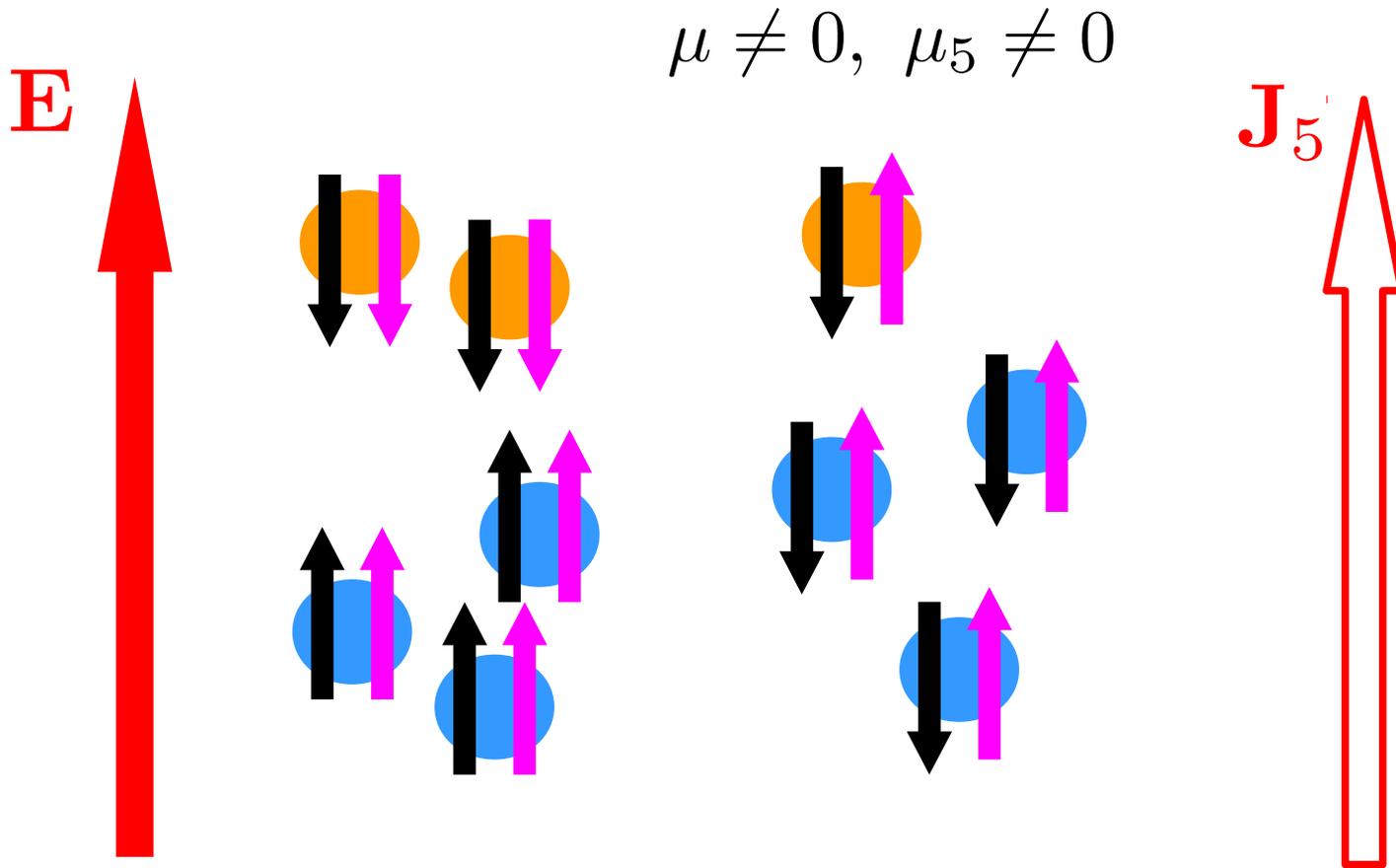
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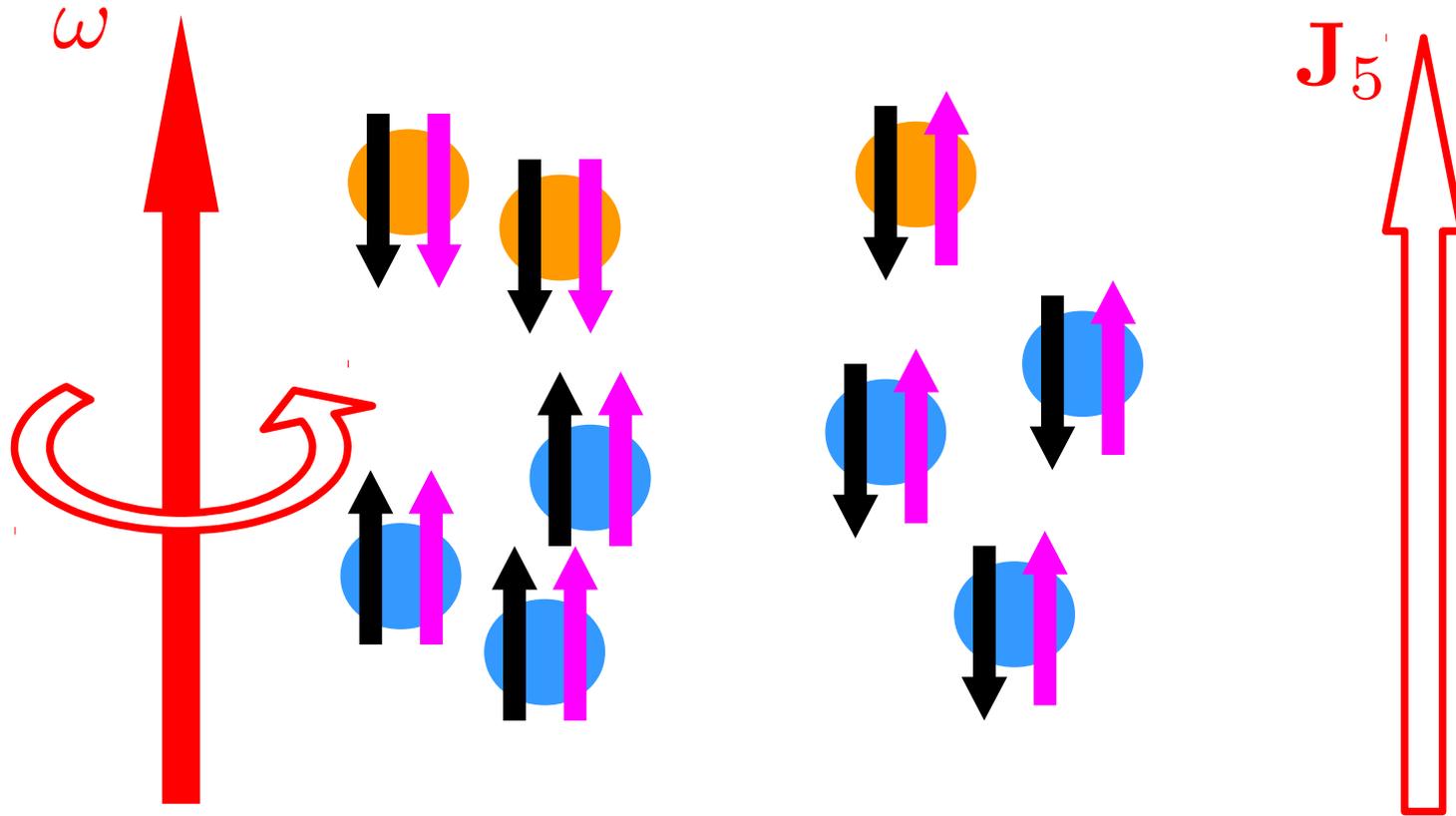
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$\langle \mathbf{s} \rangle \sim \omega$  **BUT charge-blind!**

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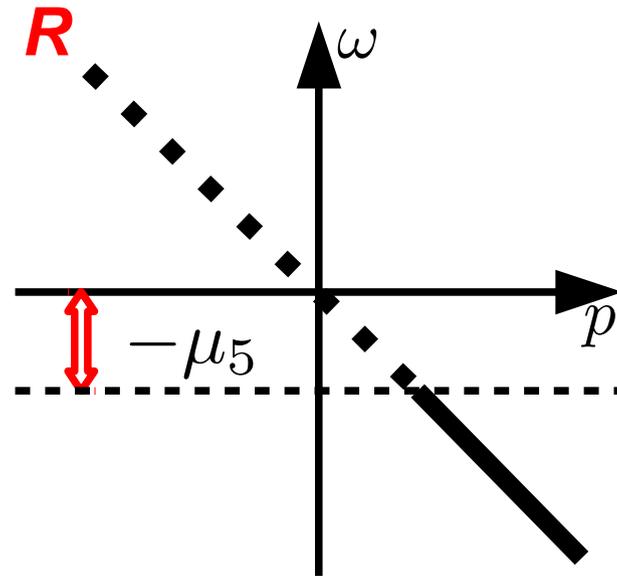
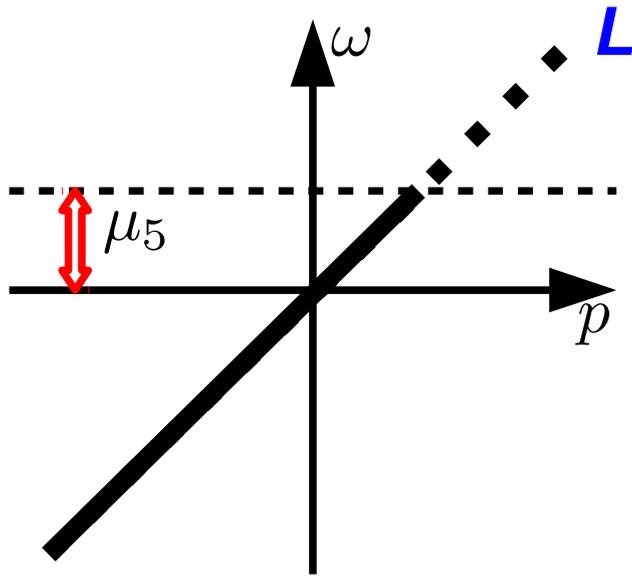
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*conductivity is fixed by the chiral anomaly!*  $\partial_\mu J_5^\mu = \frac{N_f e^2}{8\pi^2} \frac{1}{2} \epsilon_{\alpha\beta\gamma\delta} F^{\alpha\beta} F^{\gamma\delta}$

$$P = \mu_5 \frac{dQ_5}{dt} = \mu_5 C_A \int_V \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{B} \stackrel{!}{=} \int_V \mathbf{J} \cdot \mathbf{E} = \sigma_5 \int_V \mathbf{E} \cdot \mathbf{B} = P$$

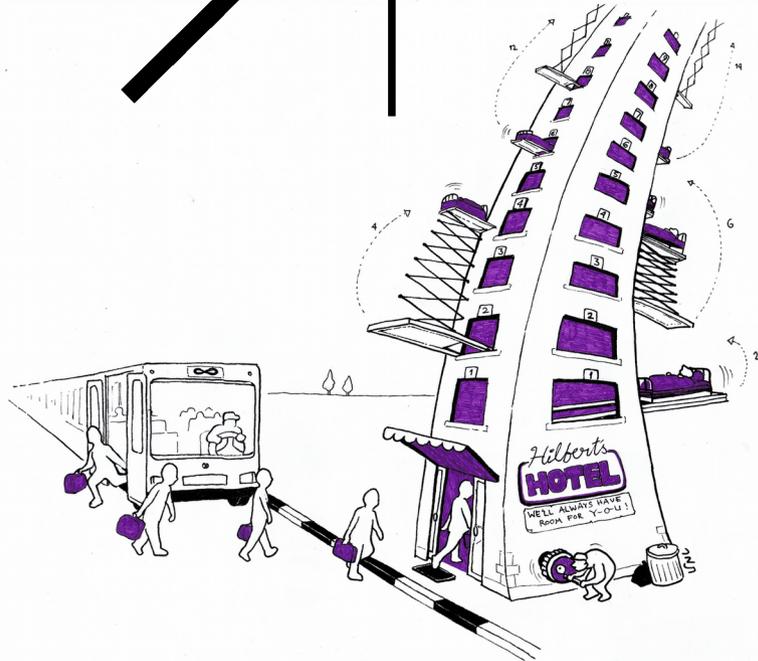
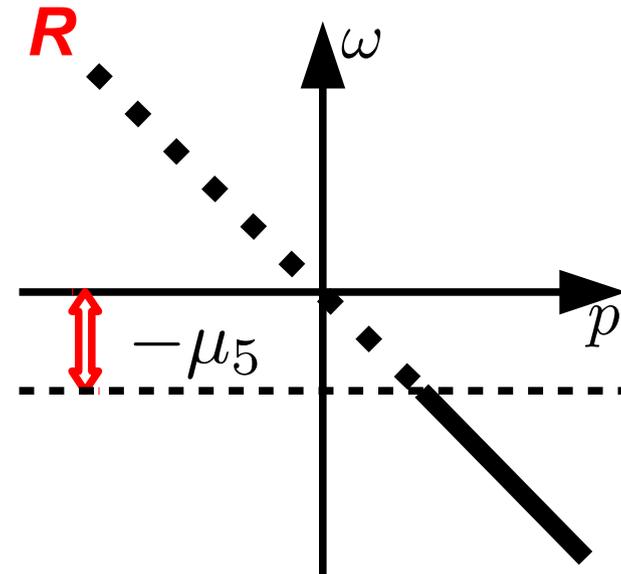
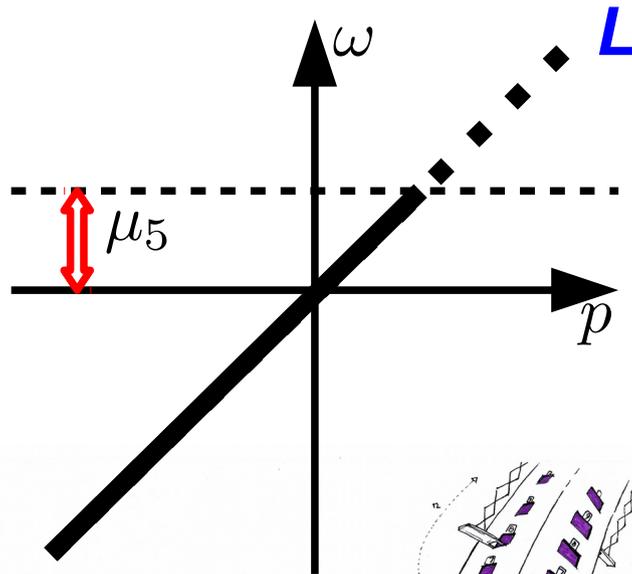
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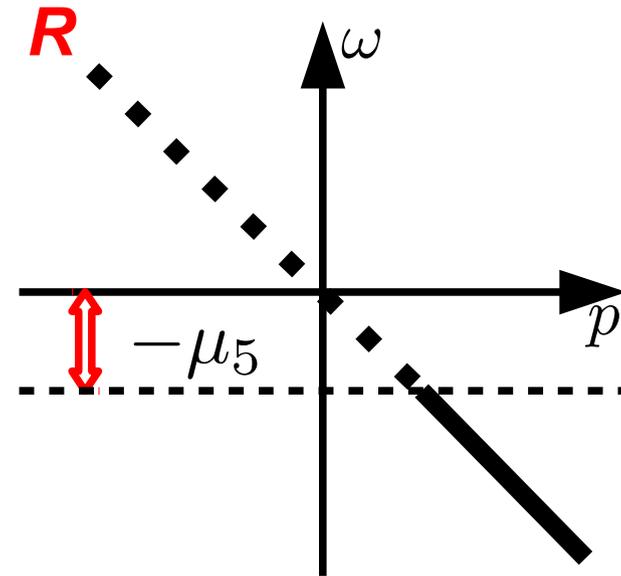
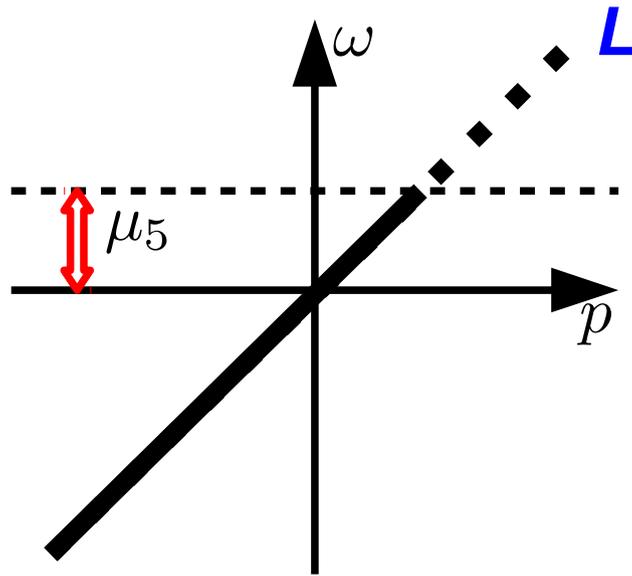
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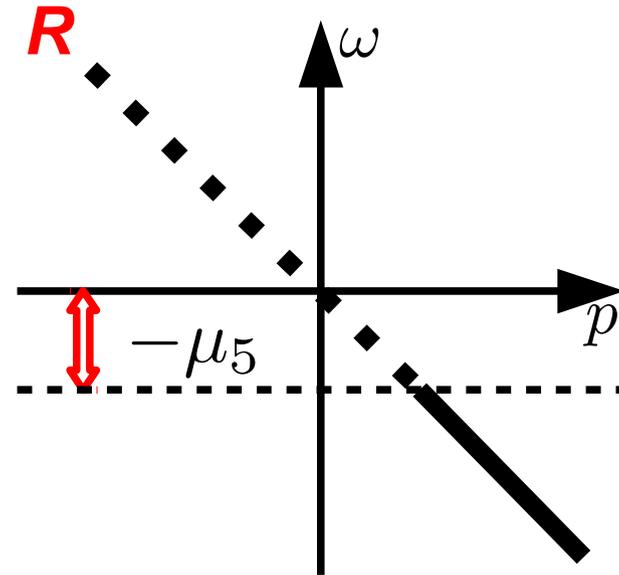
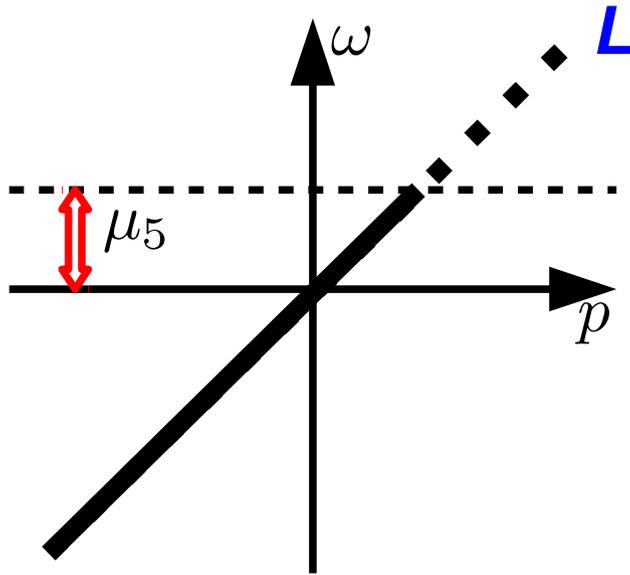
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**3+1D: Landau levels!**

$$\frac{dQ_5}{dt} = (1+1D \text{ res.}) \times \frac{eBL^2}{2\pi}$$

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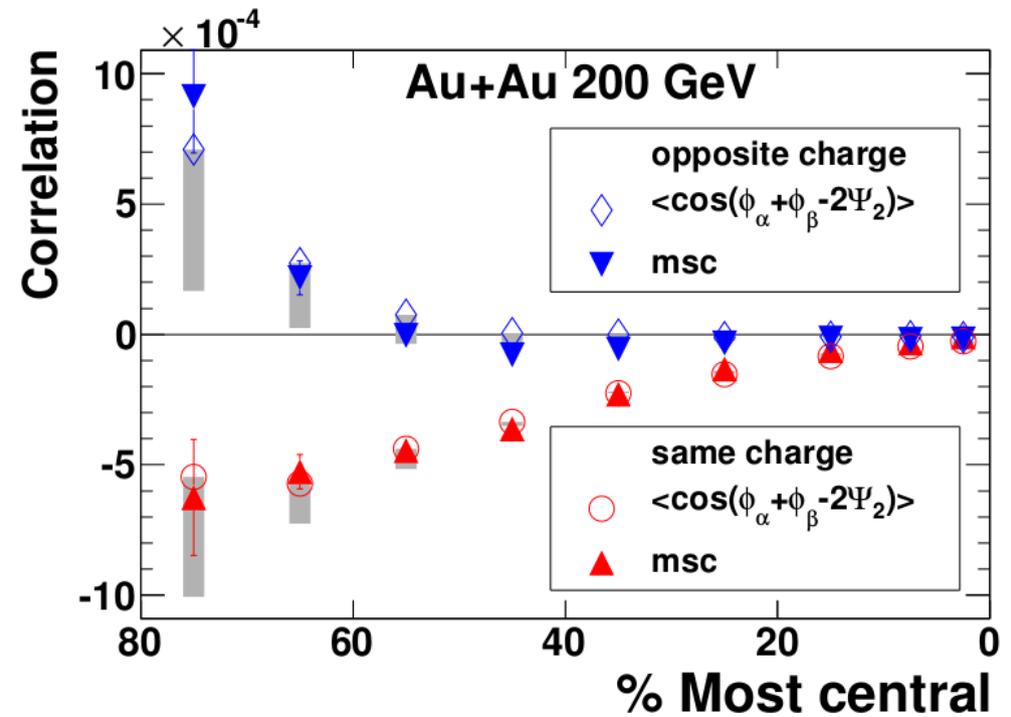
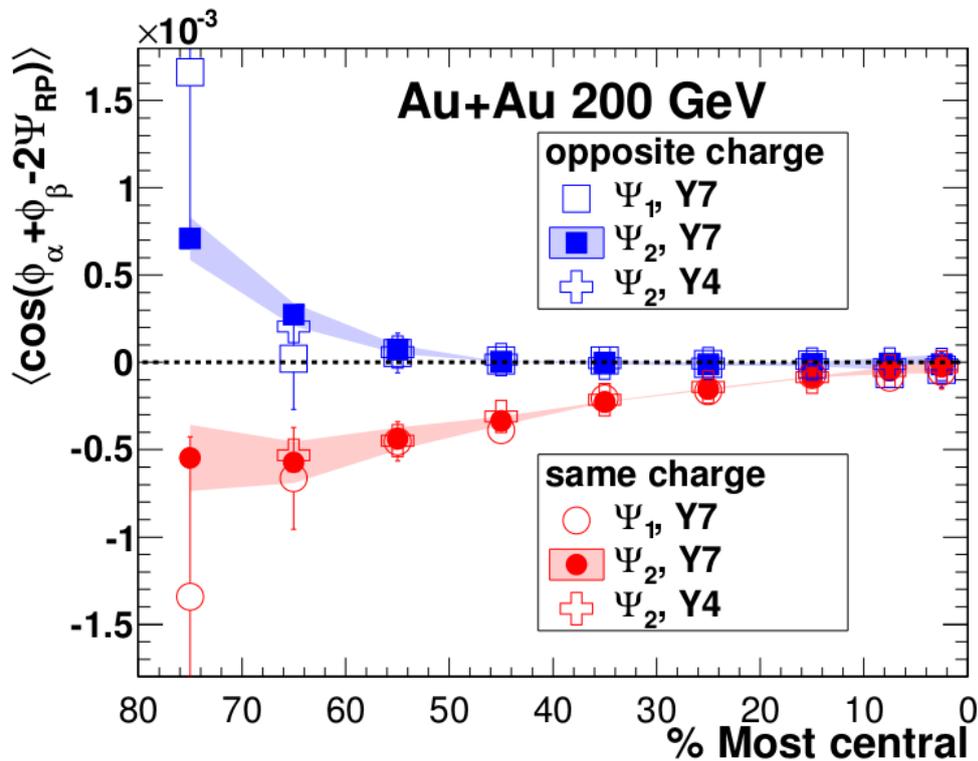
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*ALSO background subtraction needed!*

$$\begin{aligned} \delta^{\text{bckg.}} &= F & \delta &= F + H \\ \gamma^{\text{bckg.}} &= \kappa v_2 F & \gamma &= \kappa v_2 F - H \end{aligned}$$

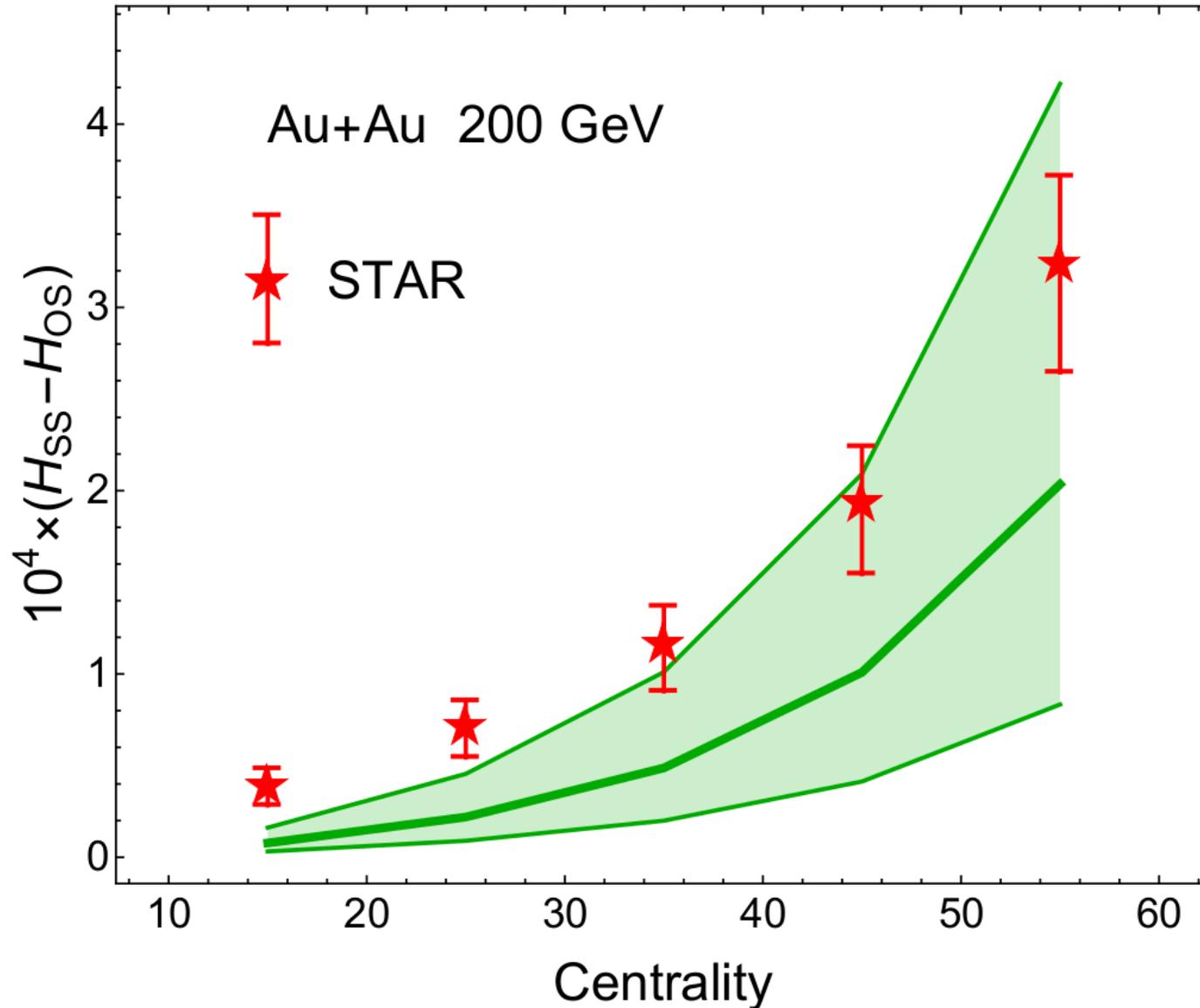
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Kharzeev *et al.*  
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**transverse conditions:**

no energy flow in the rest frame! (Landau)

**Ensure positive entropy production:**

$$\partial_\mu \underbrace{\left( su^\mu - \frac{\mu}{T} \nu^\mu \right)}_{=: s^\mu} = -\nu^\mu \partial \left( \frac{\mu}{T} \right) + \frac{1}{T} \tau^{\mu\nu} \partial_\mu u_\nu \geq 0$$

$$\nu^\mu \lesssim \partial^\mu \left( \frac{\mu}{T} \right)$$

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**introduction of diffusion const. & viscosities!**

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(for **P**-odd and **T**-even transport coefficients)

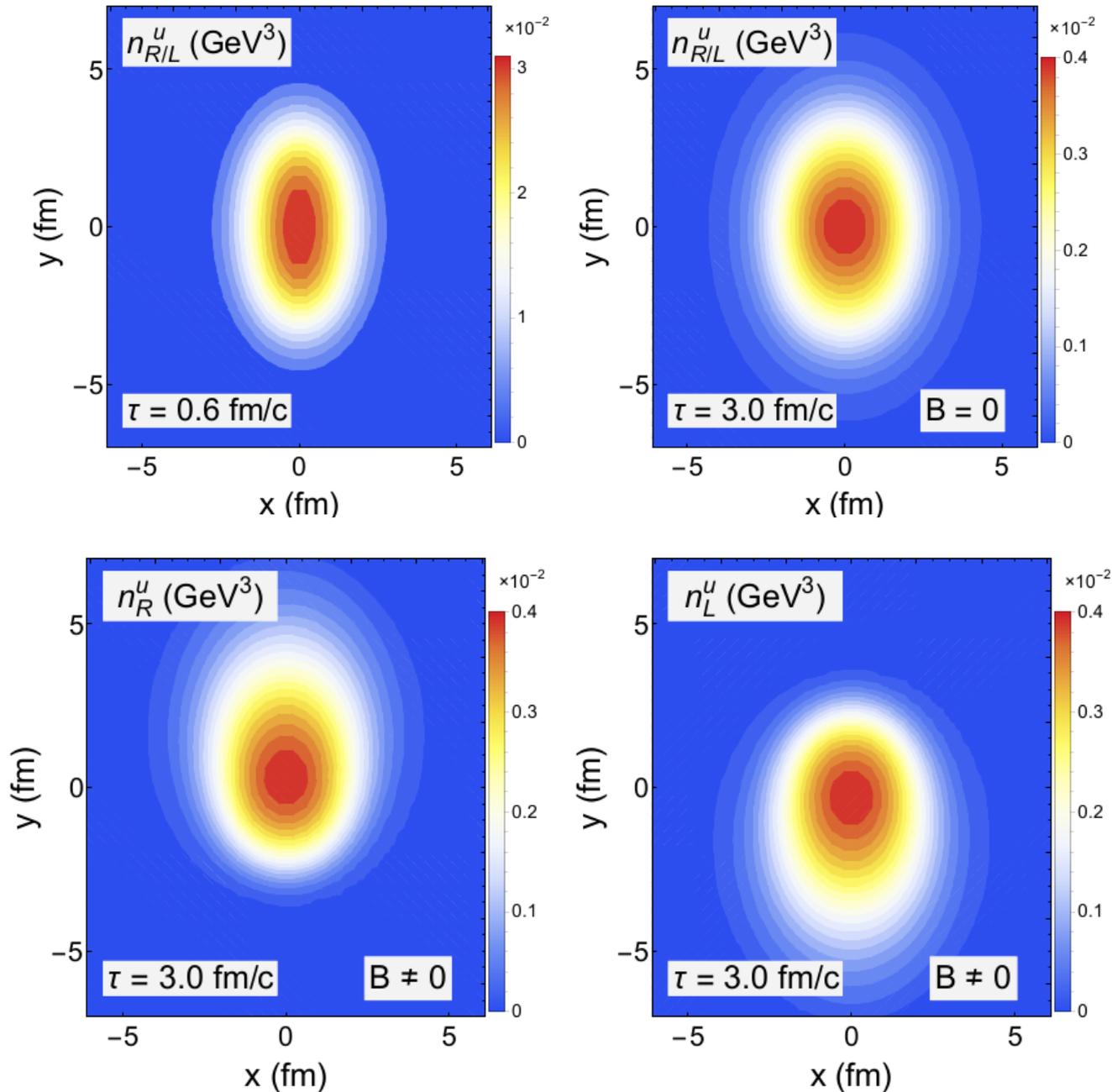
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$$\xi = C \left( \mu^2 - \frac{2}{3} \frac{n \mu^3}{\epsilon + P} \right)$$

$$\xi_B = C \left( \mu - \frac{1}{3} \frac{n \mu^2}{\epsilon + P} \right)$$

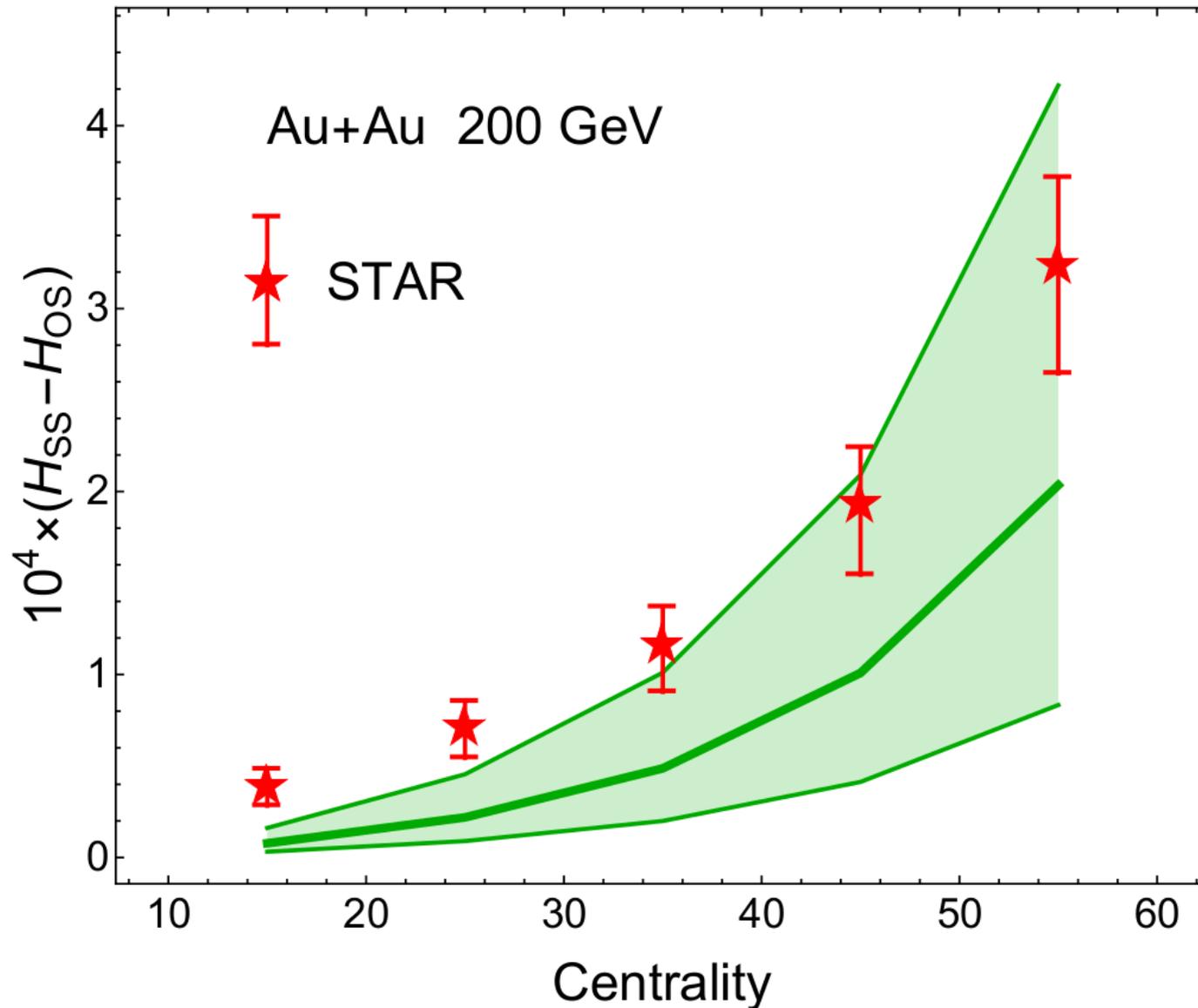
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**fermions coupled to gauge fields:**

- ✓ maintaining gauge invariance  
→ *costs the anomalous divergence of the axial current*
- ✓ the anomaly comes from the UV behaviour of the fermionic propagator

# Linear response in QFT

See Kovtun: *J. Phys. A* **45**, 473001 (2012)  
arXiv: 1205.5040

perturbation in **(axial)vector current**

$$\delta H(t) = \int_{-\infty}^t d\tau \int d^3\mathbf{x} J_{(5)}^\mu(\tau, \mathbf{x}) A_\mu^{(5)}(\tau, \mathbf{x})$$

change of avr. **current** to linear order in the strength  $A_\nu^{(5)}$

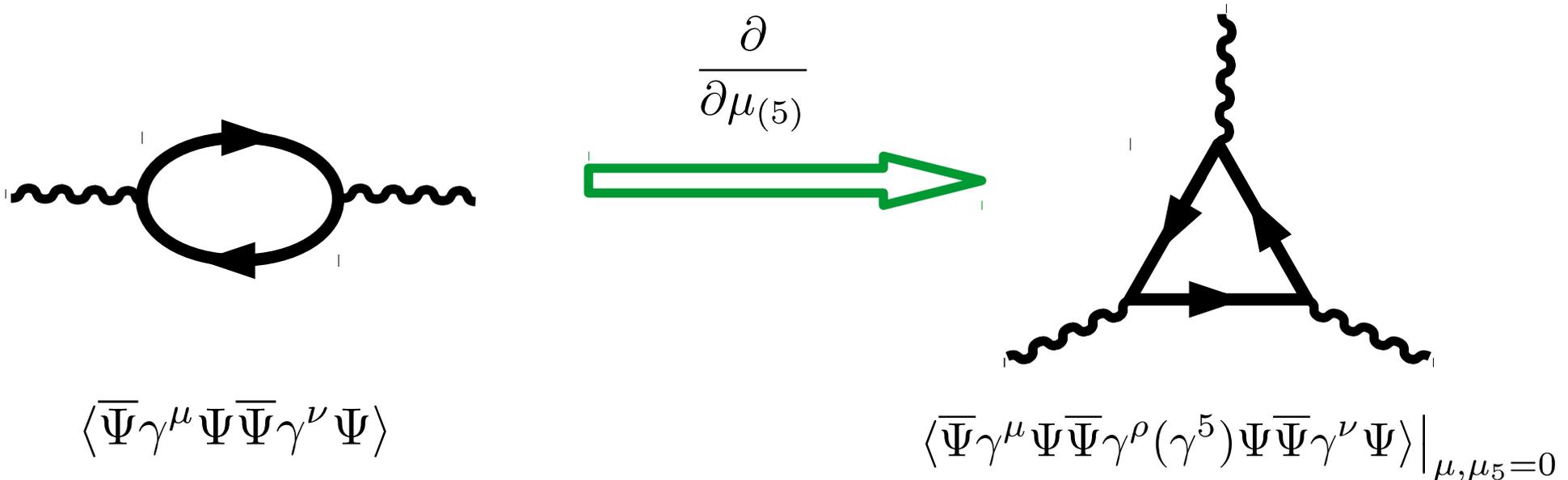
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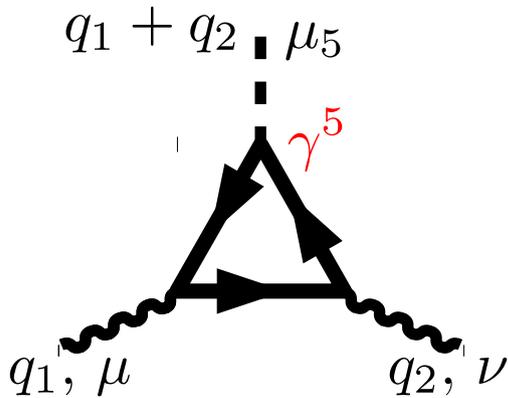
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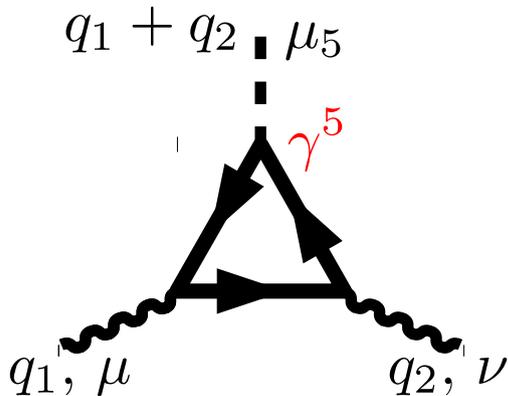


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## Some properties:

**these terms** are subleading for small  $q_1$  &  $q_2$

for CME, only **this term** survives in the homogenous limit

# Take-aways

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➤ **We have learned about:**

**a peculiar sign of chiral symmetry restoration**

**possible signals to identify anomalous chir. eff.**

**out-of-equilibrium description still poses challenge**

life isn't that easy for theorists either

➤ **Needed:**

**realistic simulations based on microscopic prop.**

(meaning further work, *in progress!*)

**better observables to measure**

# Thank you for listening!

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Questions? Comments?

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