

Non Equilibrium Many-Body Perturbation Theory from first principles

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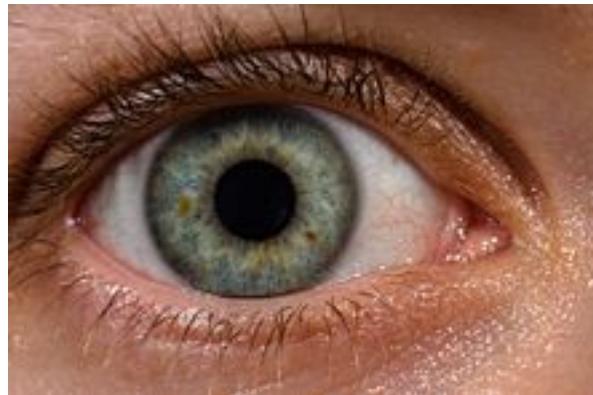


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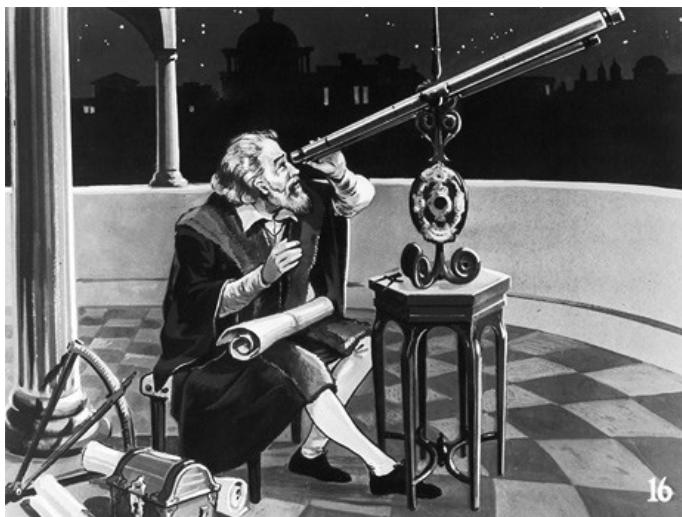


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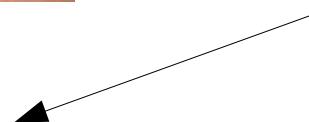
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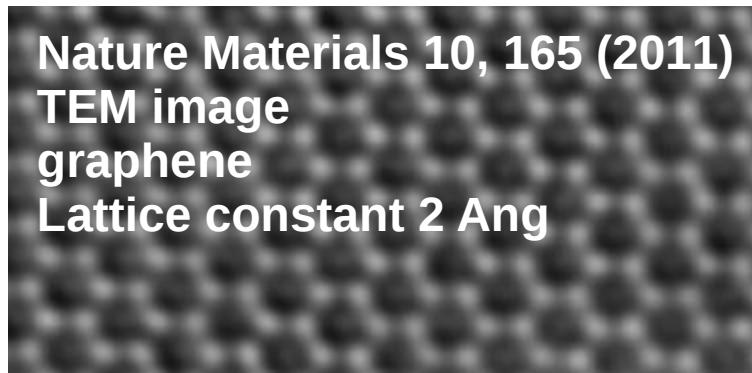
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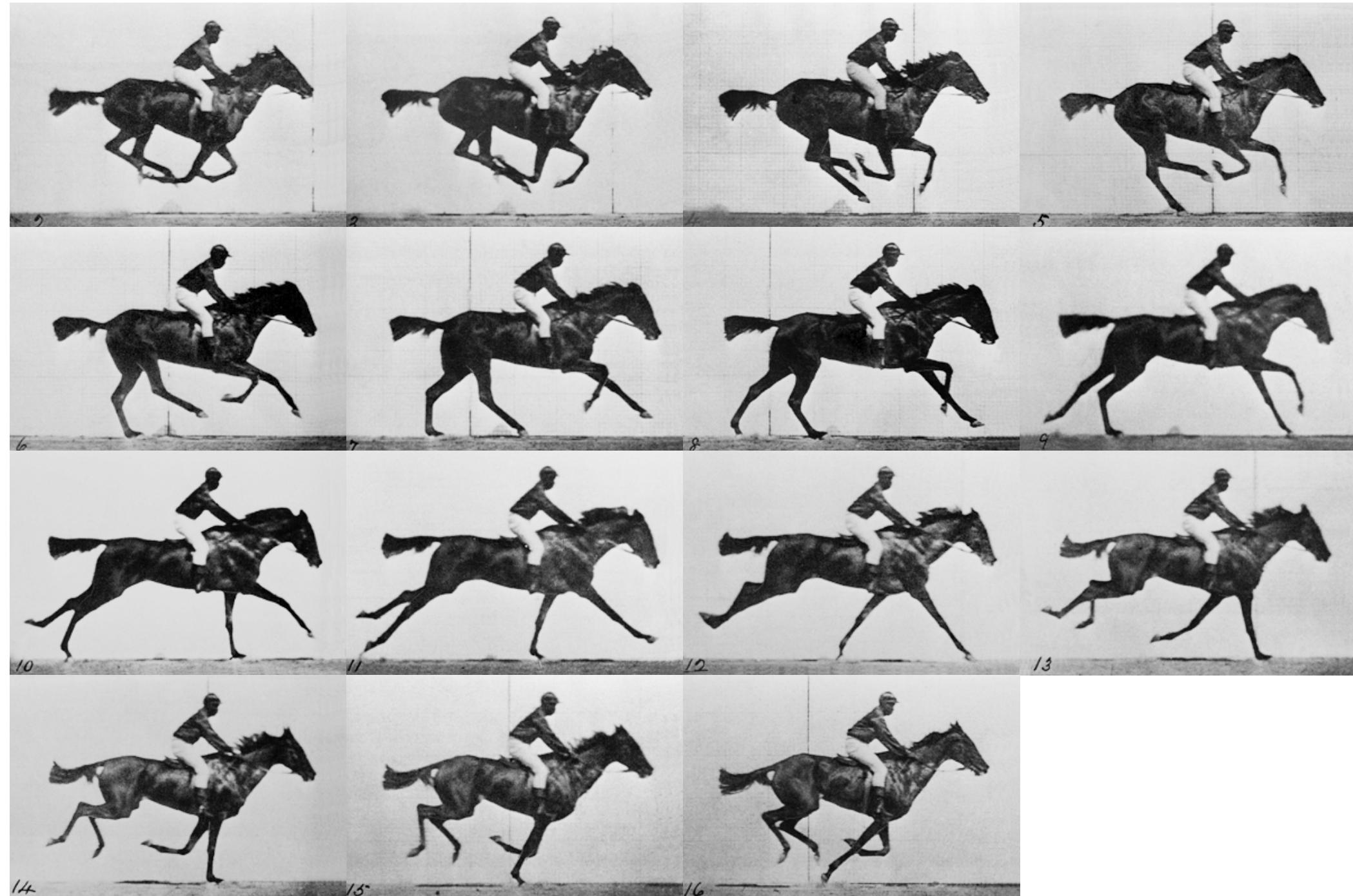
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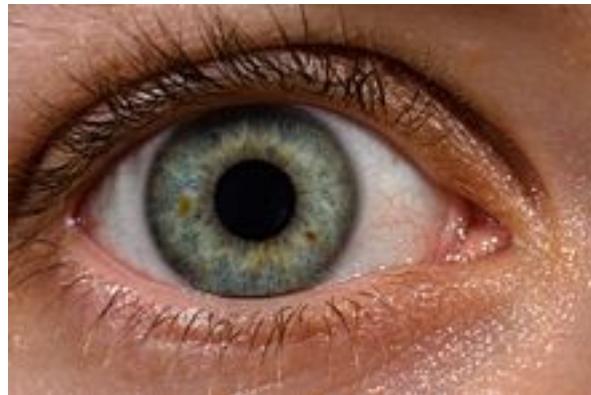


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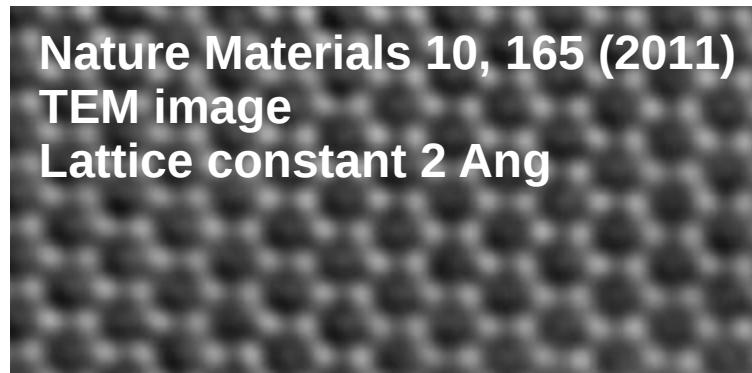
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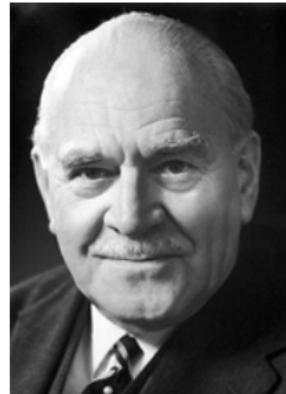
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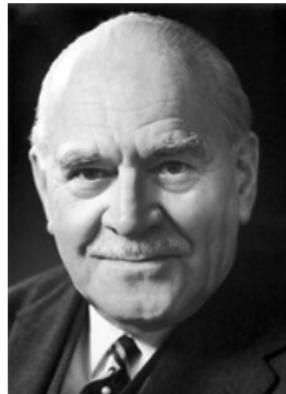


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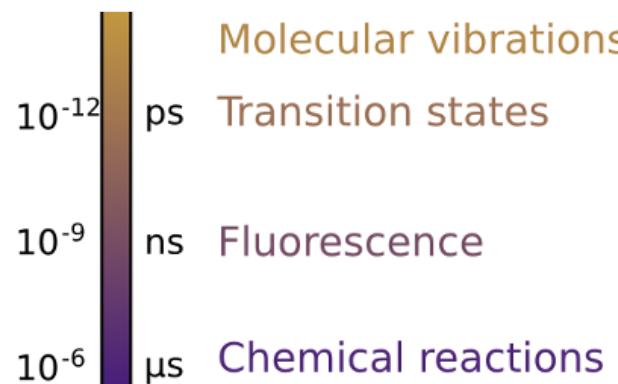


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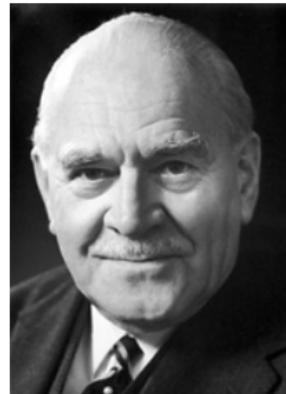
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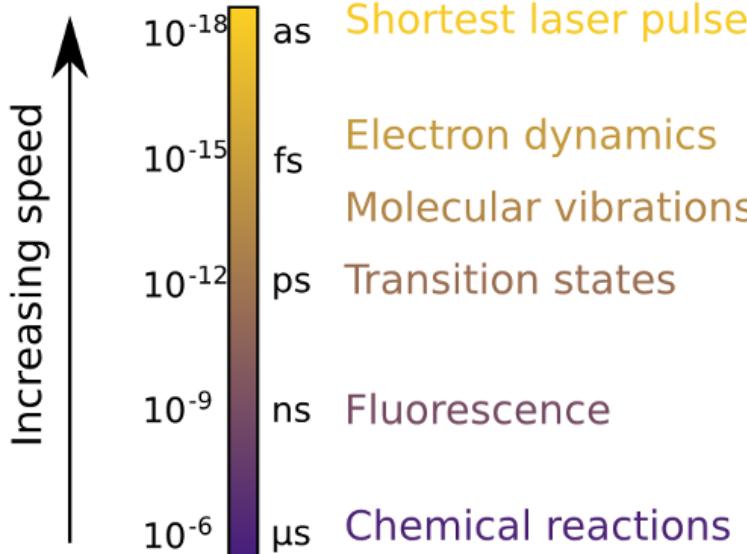
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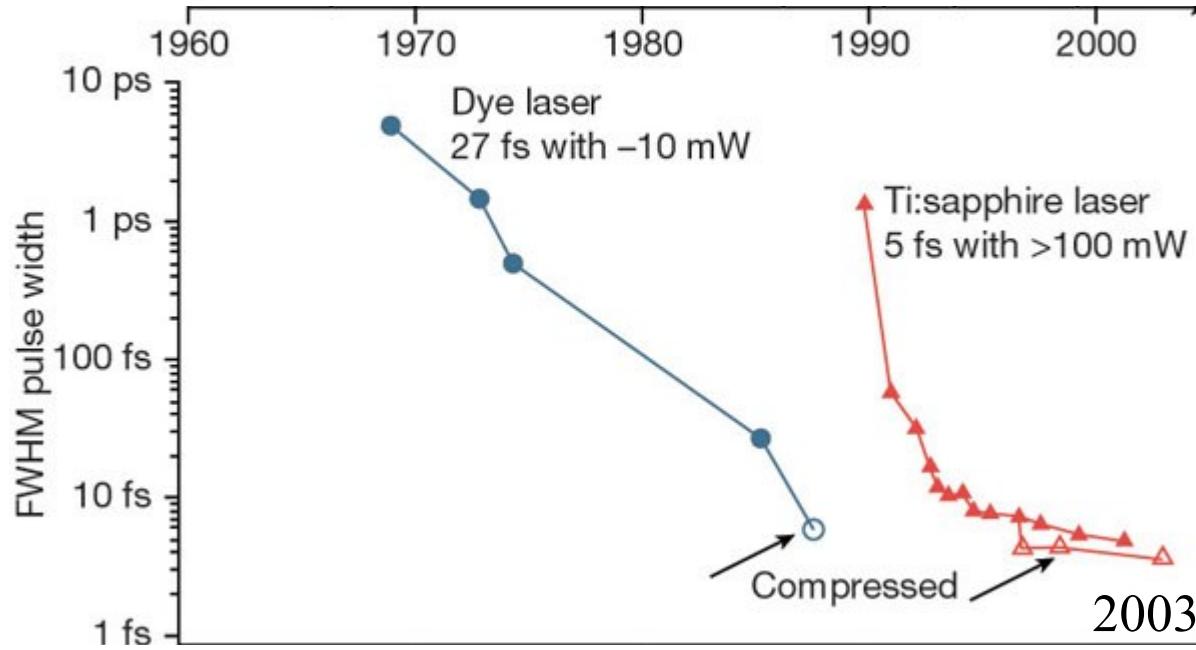


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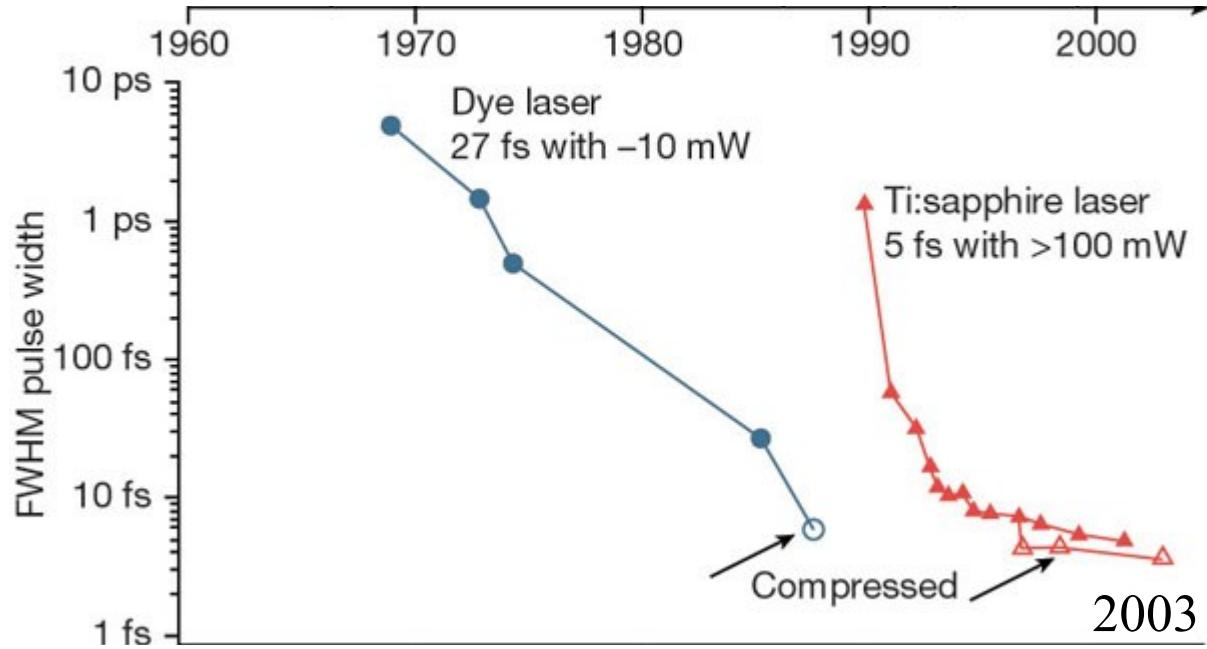


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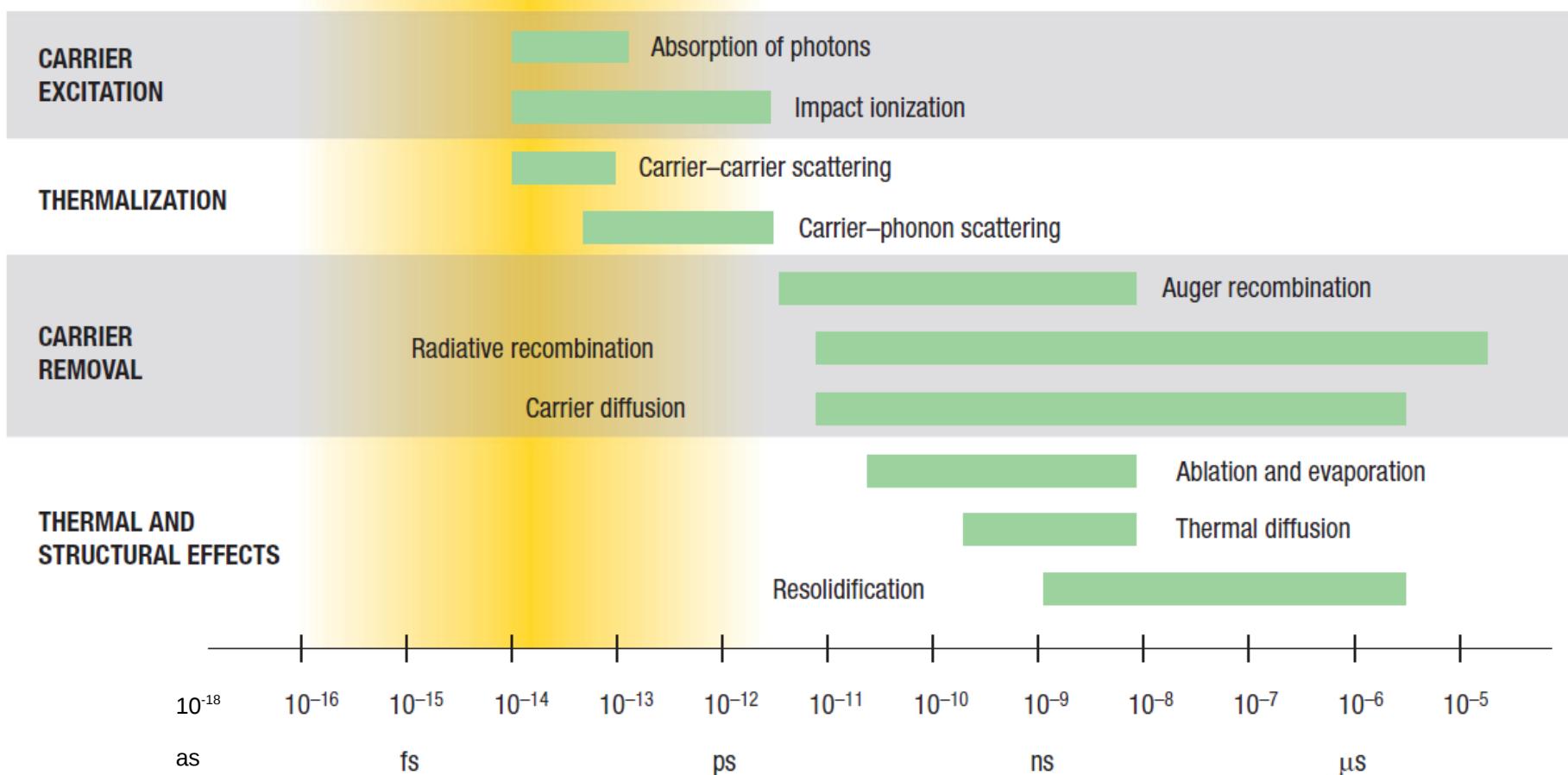


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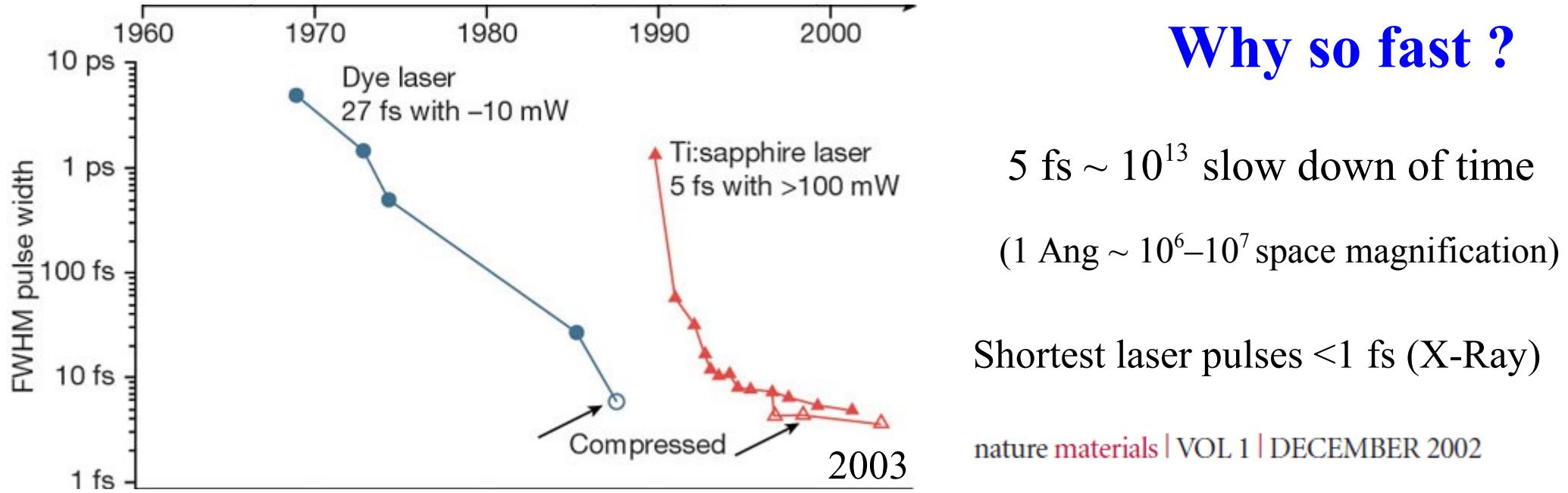
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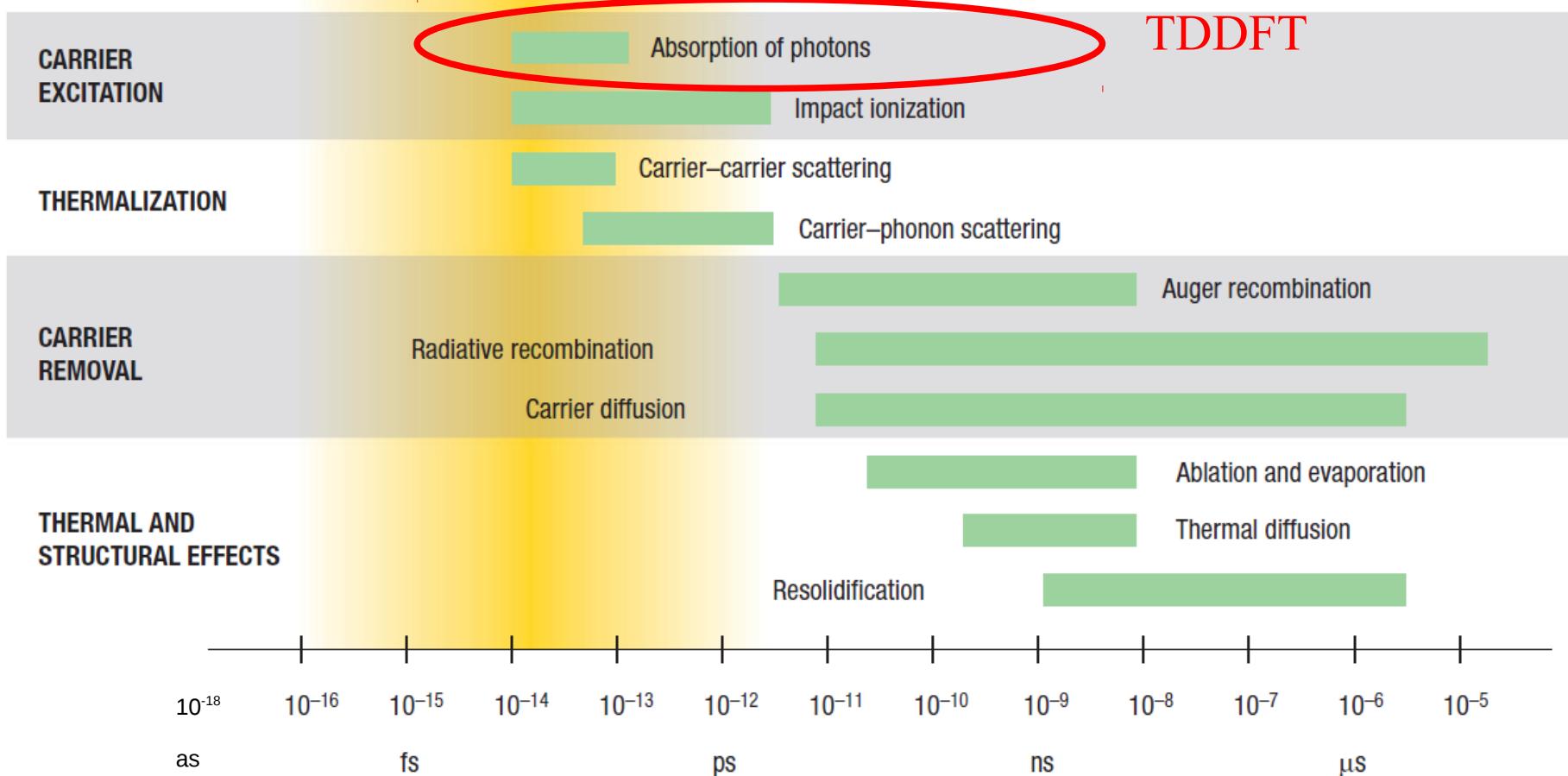


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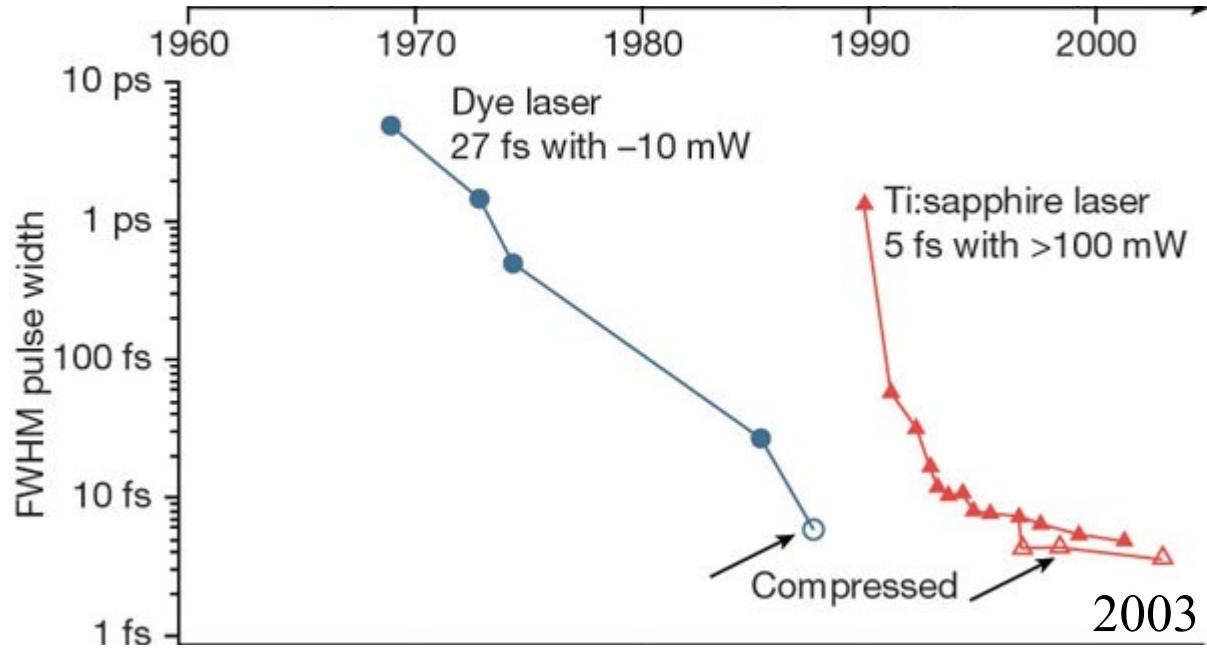
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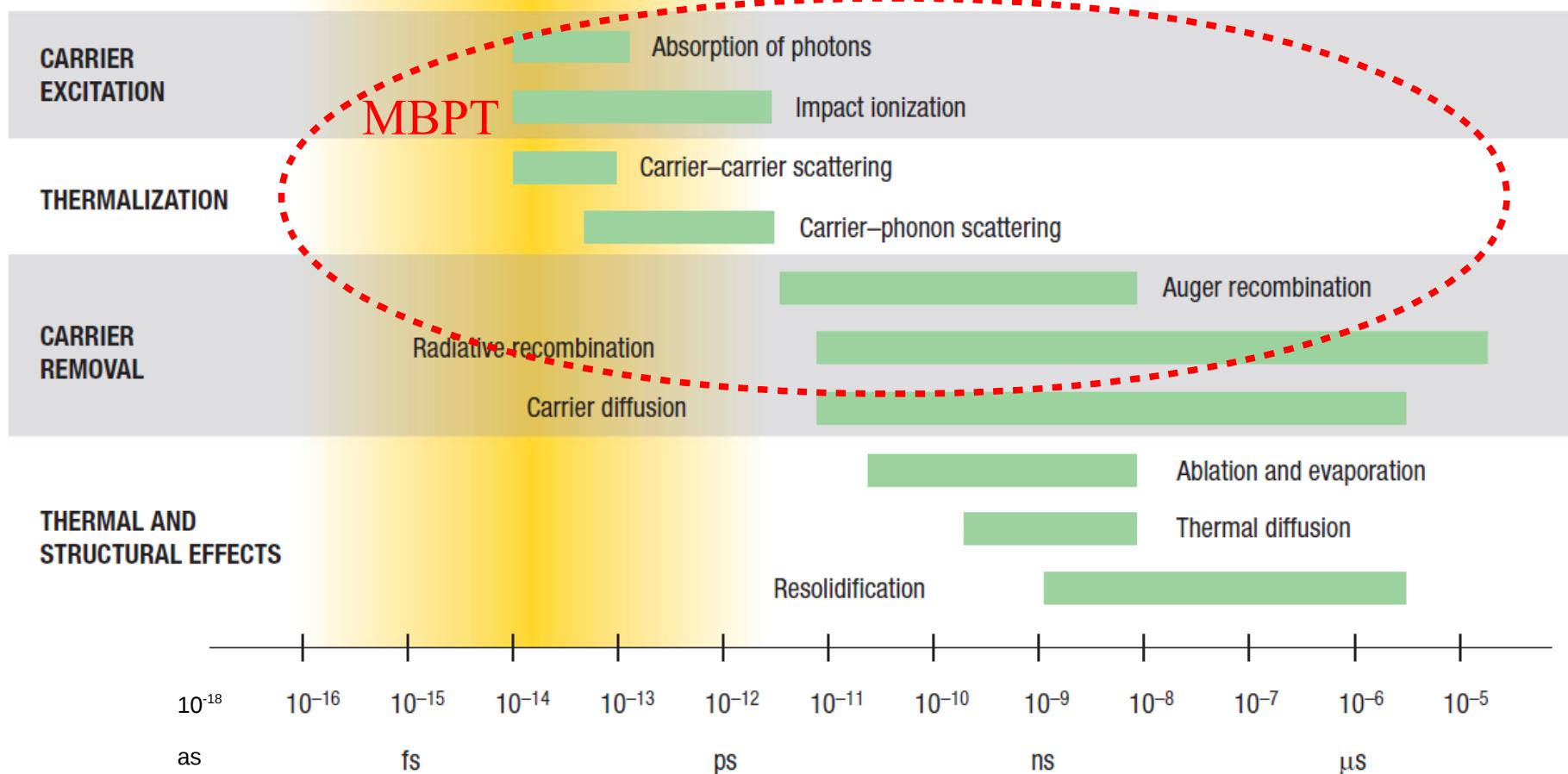


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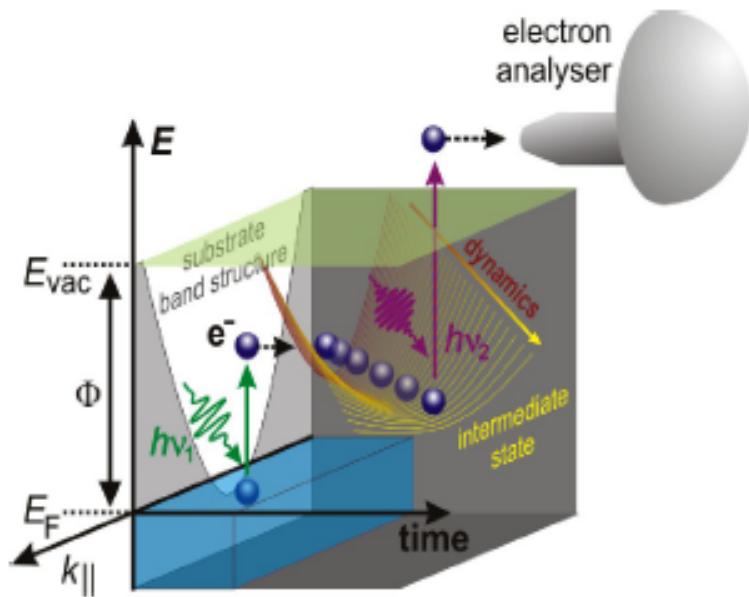
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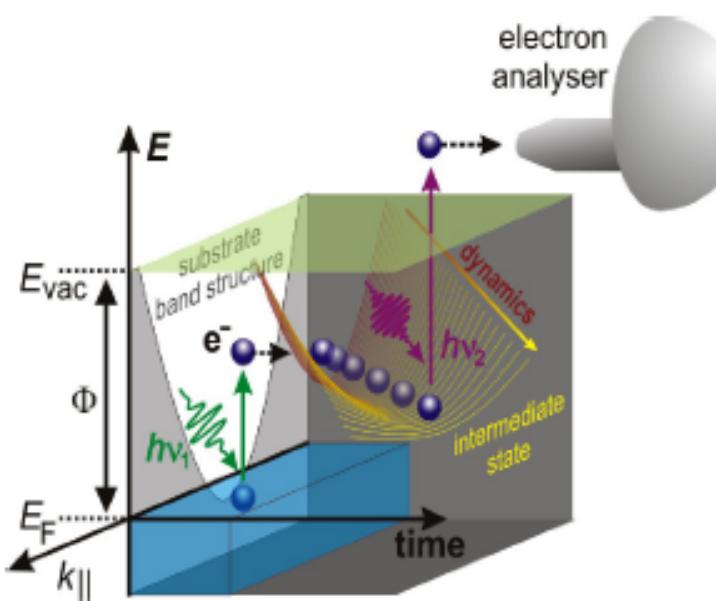
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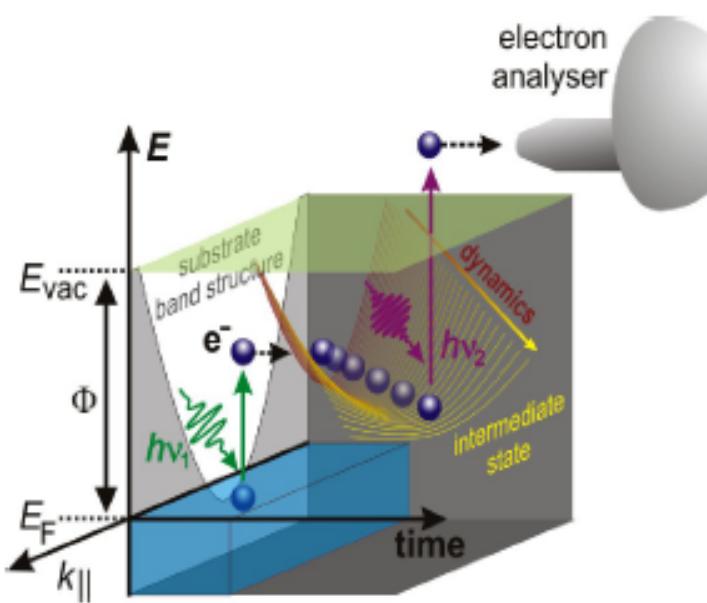
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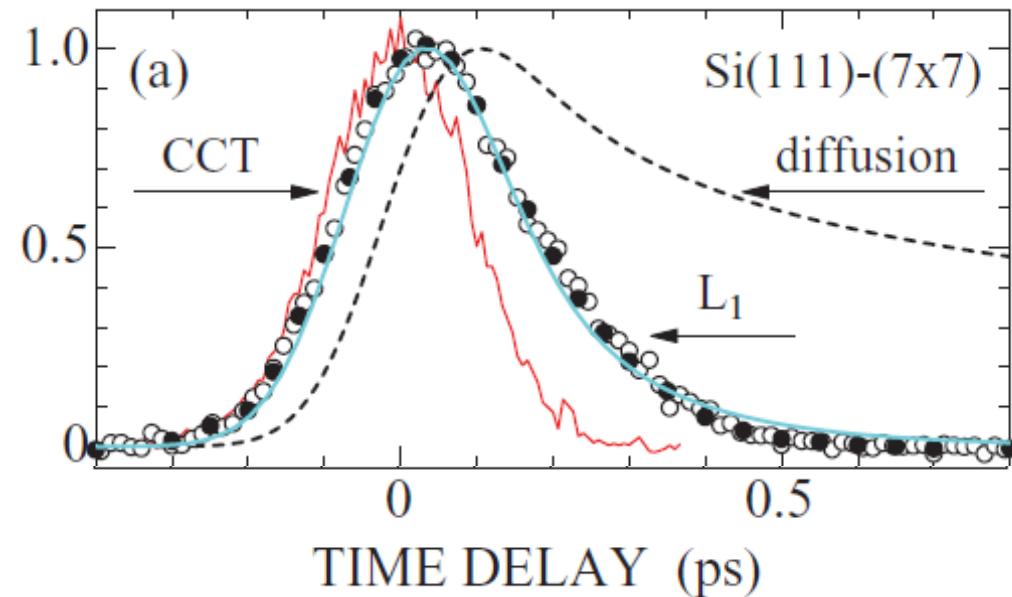
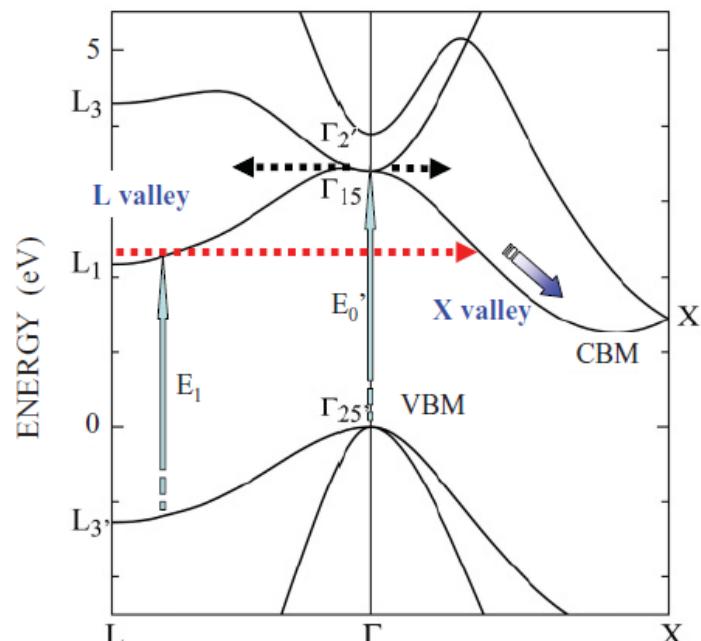
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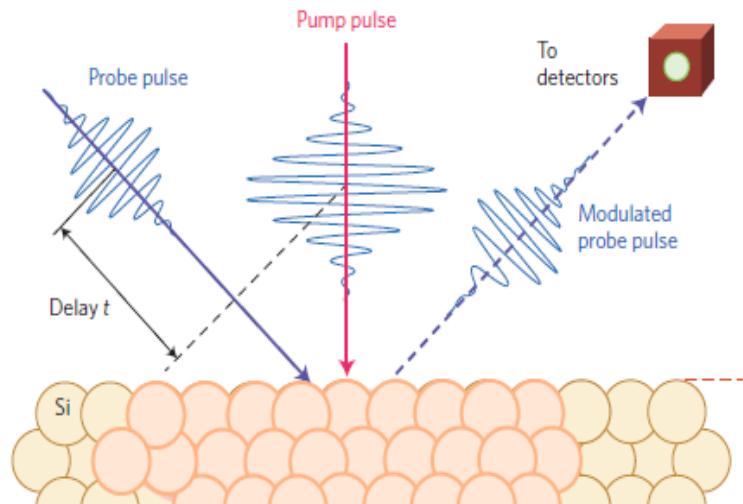
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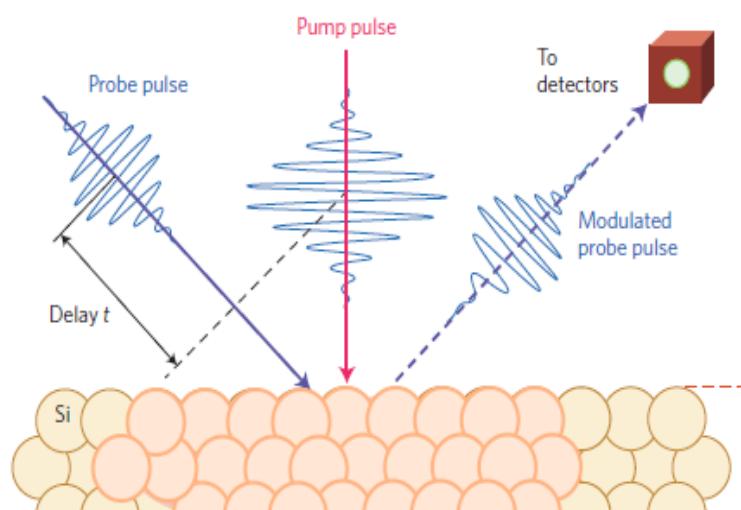
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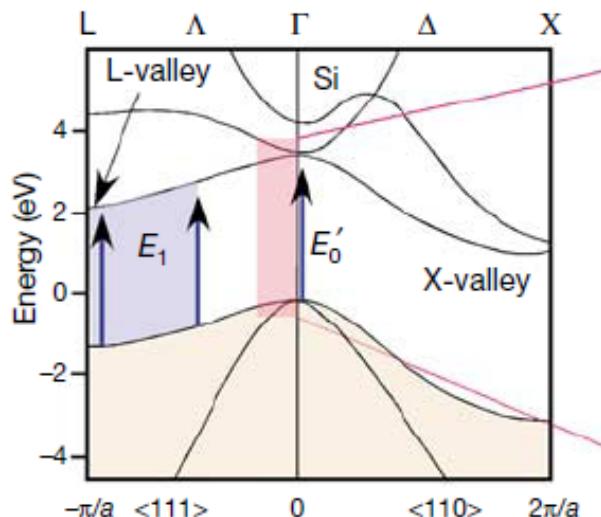
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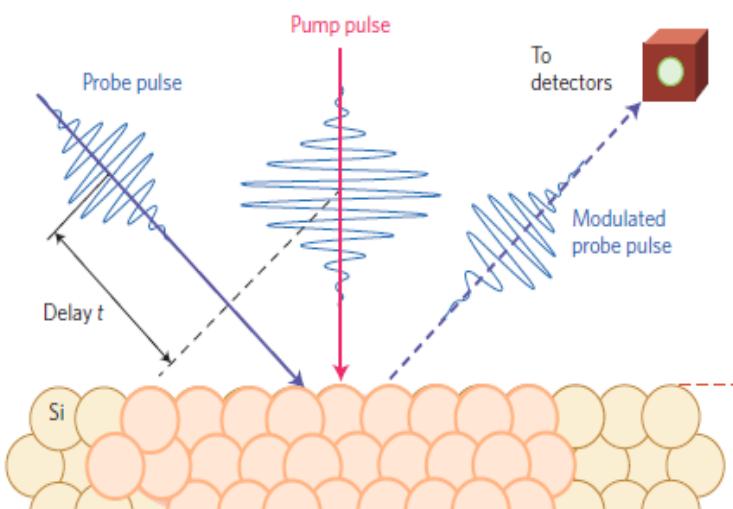
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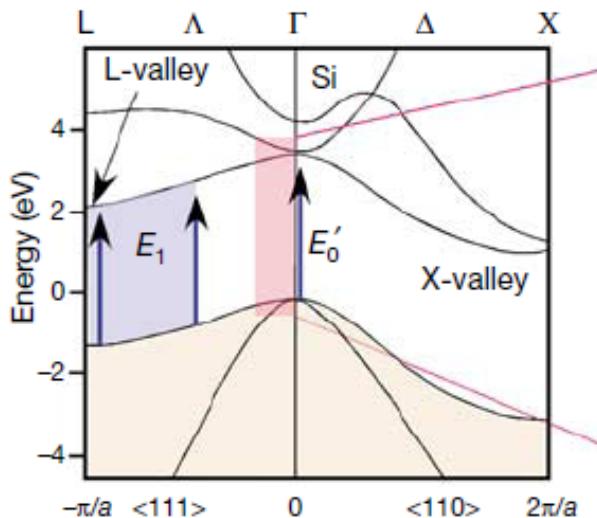
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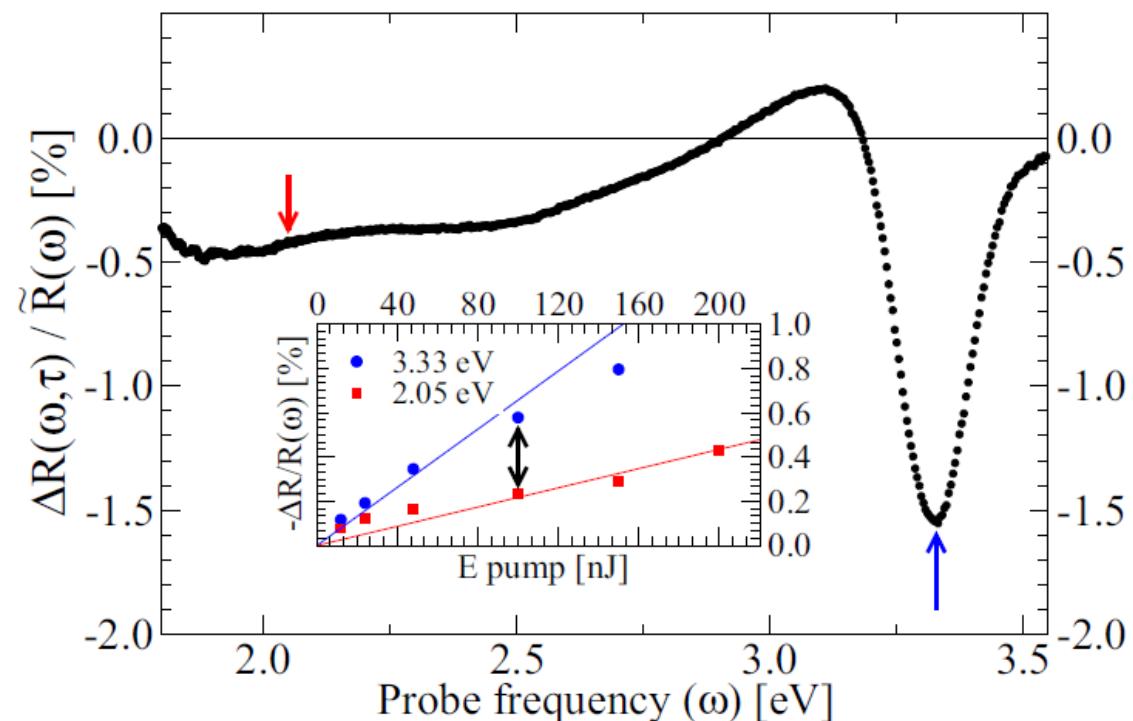
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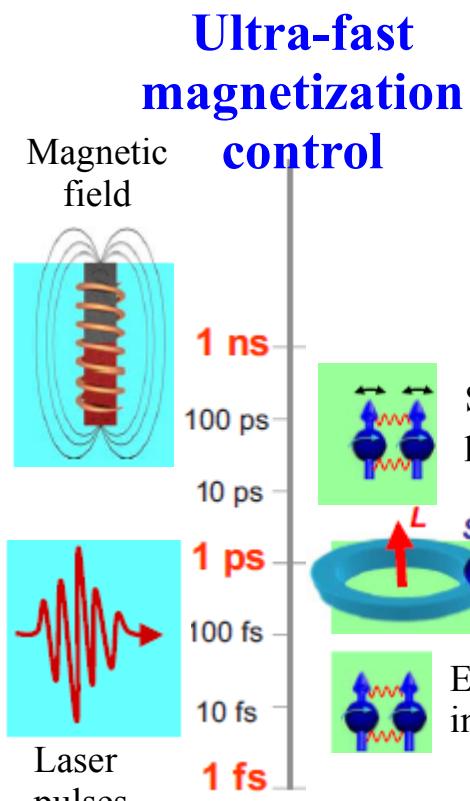
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Strong technological interest



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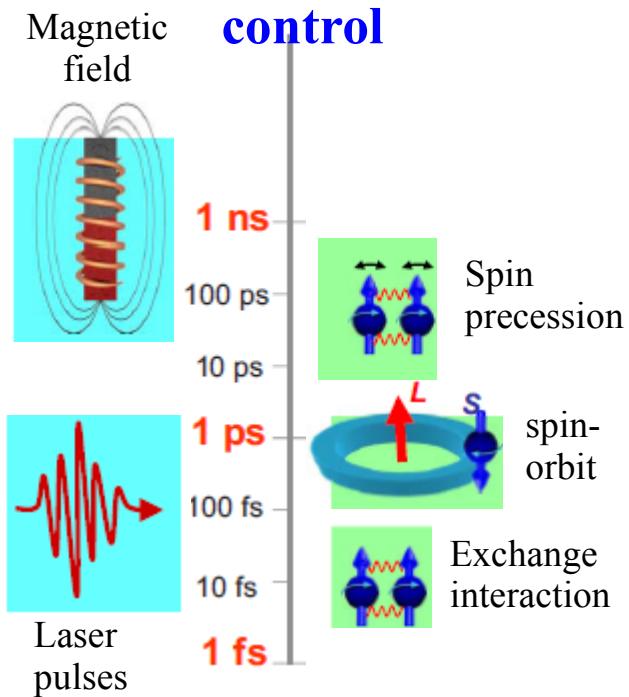
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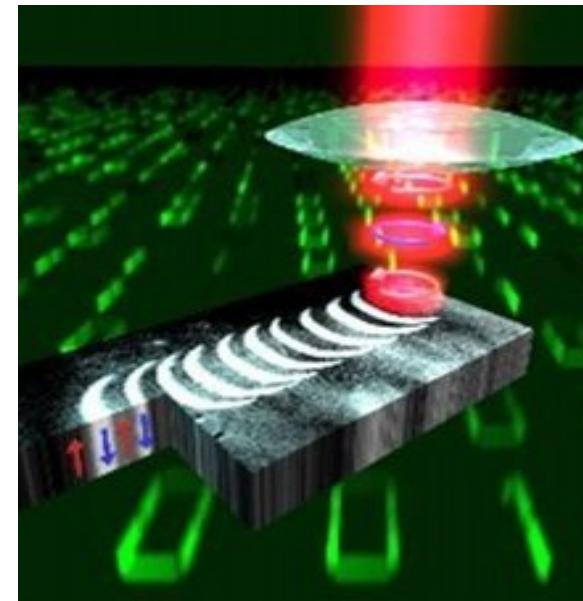
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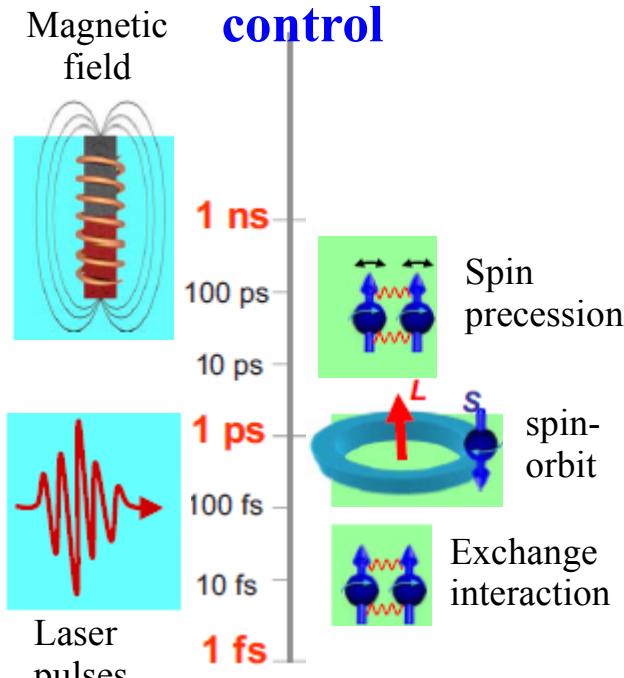
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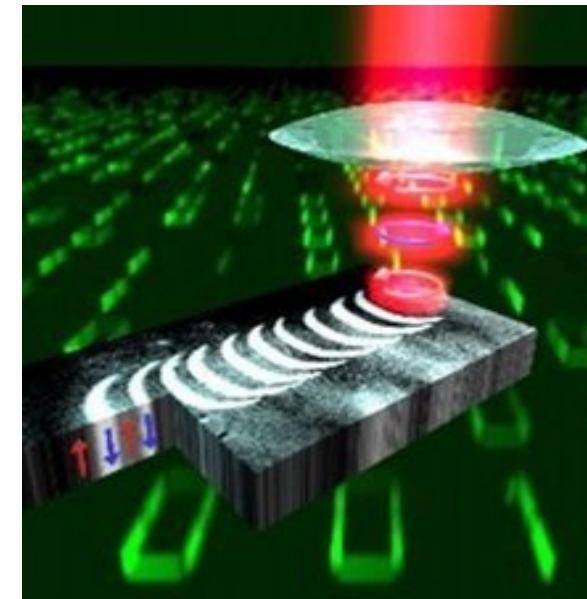


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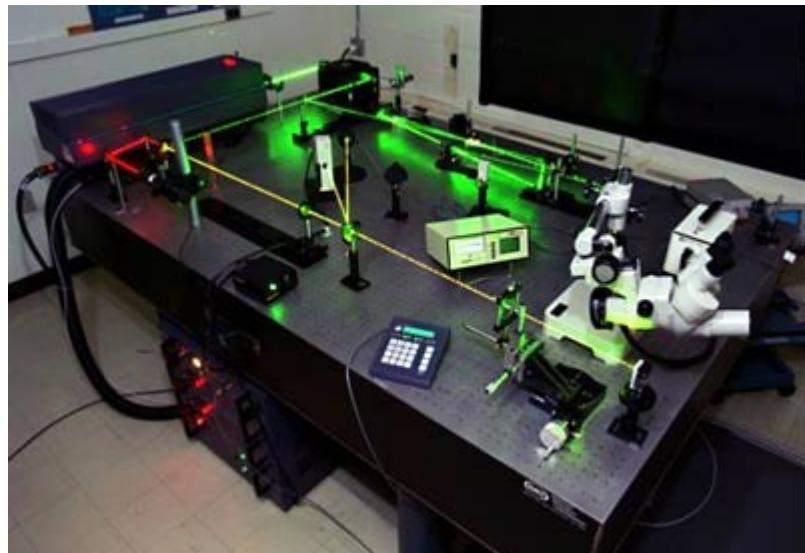
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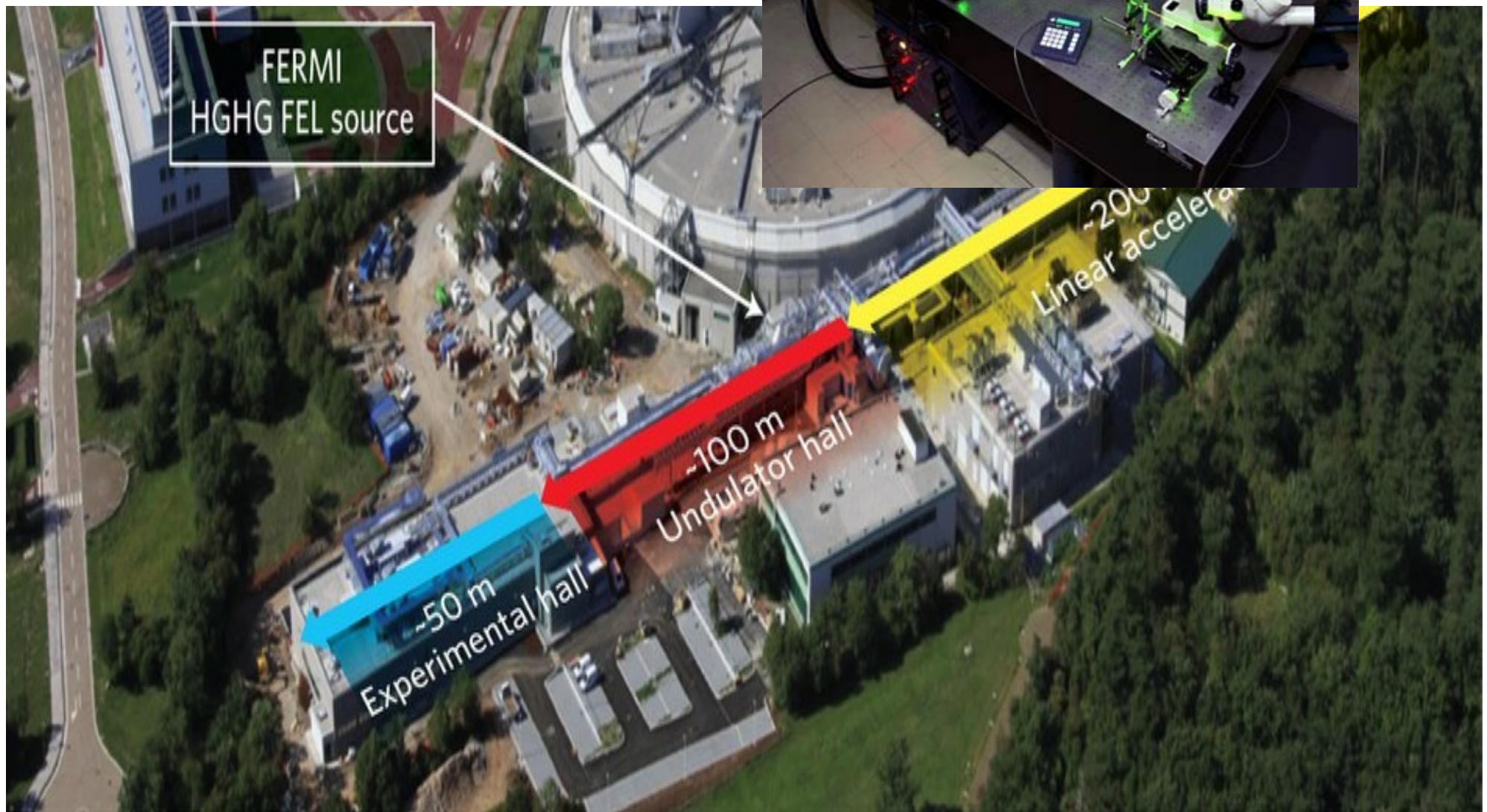
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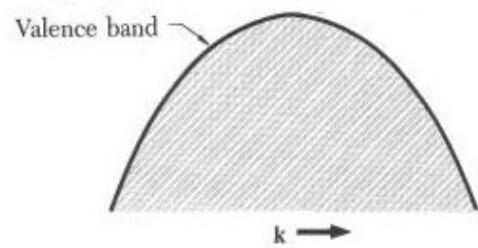
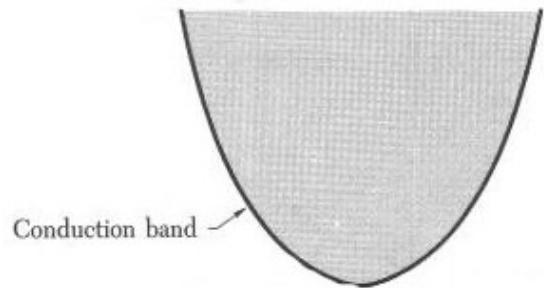
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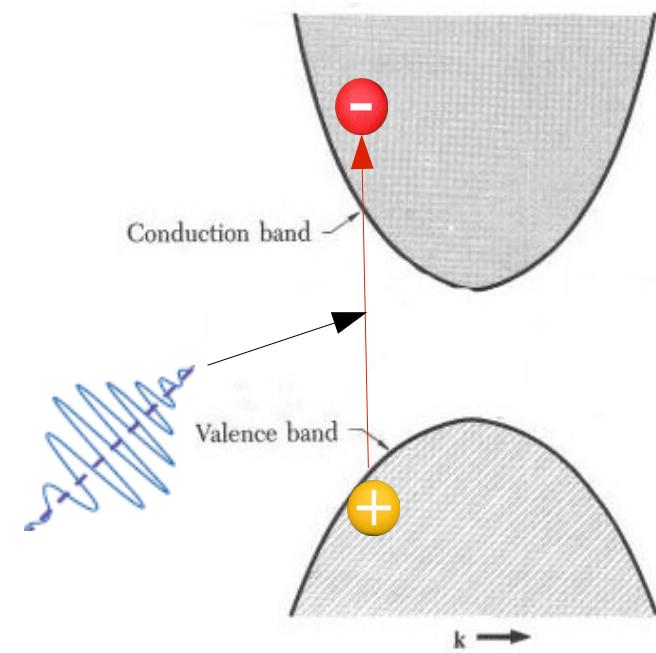
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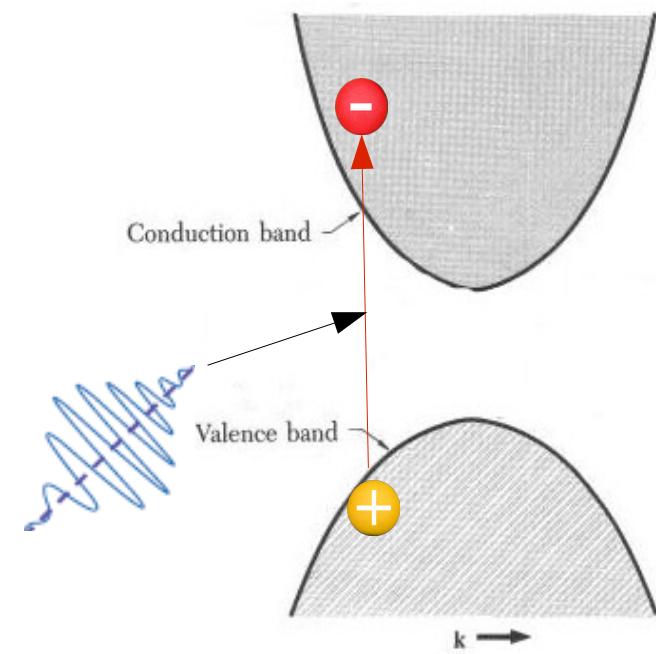


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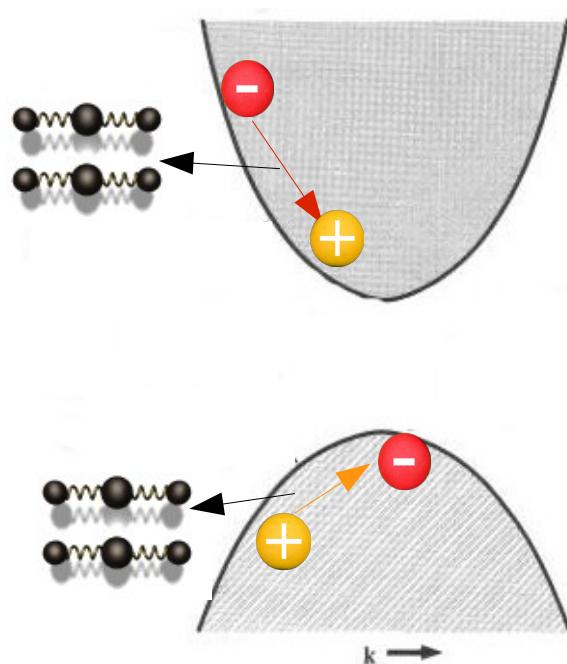
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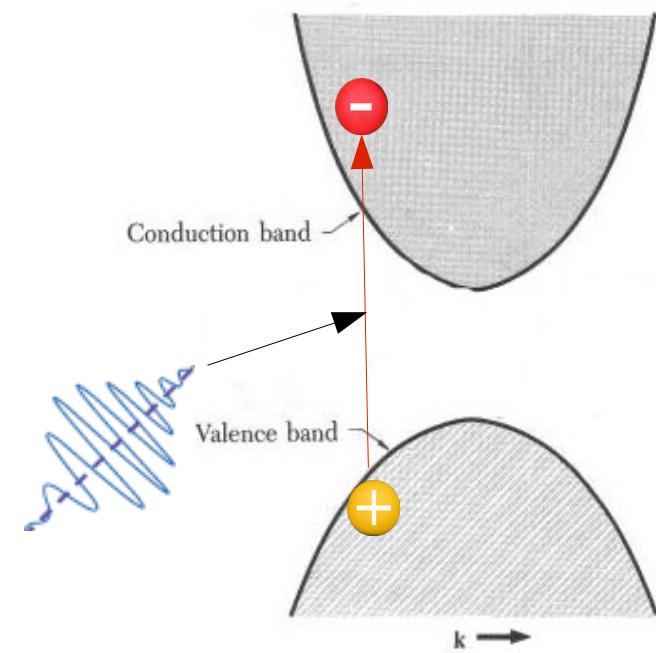


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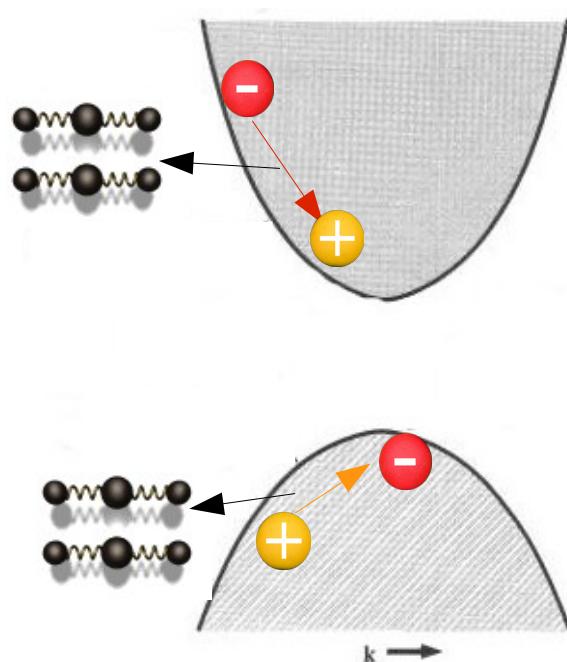
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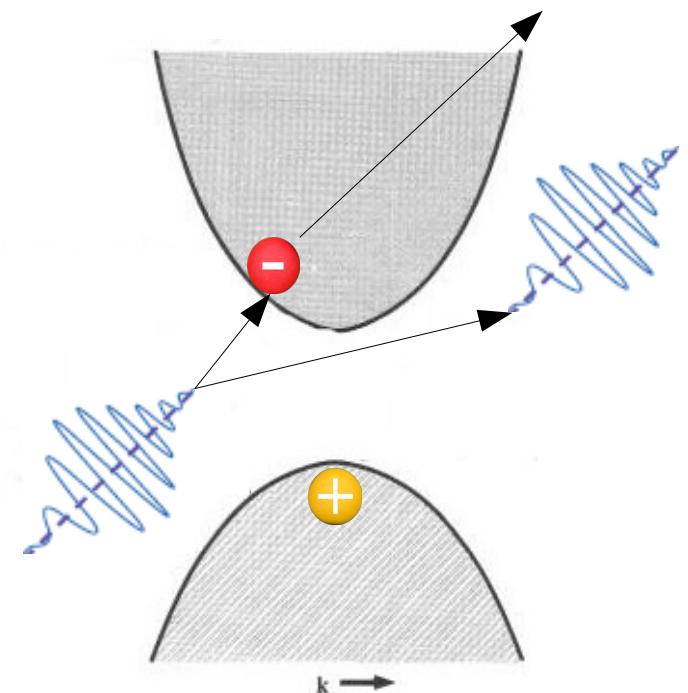
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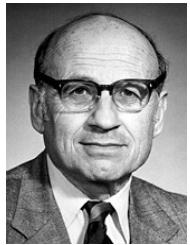
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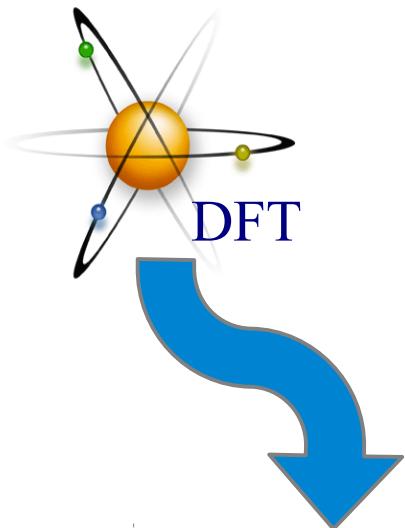
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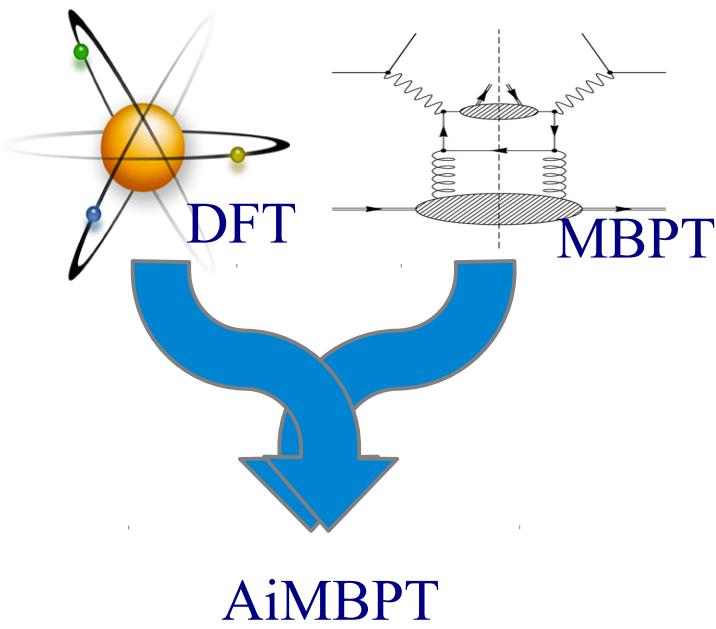
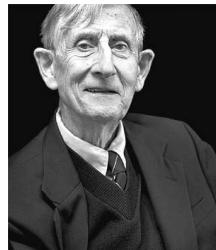
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Ab-Initio Many-Body Perturbation Theory



DFT

$$\left[\frac{-\nabla^2}{2} + v_s(r) \right] \psi_{nk}(r) = \epsilon_{nk} \psi_{nk}(r)$$

$$v_s(r) = v_{ions}(r) + v_{Hxc}[n](r)$$

+

MBPT

$$G_{KS}^{(r)}(r, r', \omega) = \sum_{nk} \frac{\psi_{nk}^*(r) \psi_{nk}(r')}{\omega - \epsilon_{nk}^{KS} + i\eta}$$

$$\Sigma = \text{Diagram of a single loop with a clockwise arrow} + \text{Diagram of a cloud-like loop with a clockwise arrow}$$

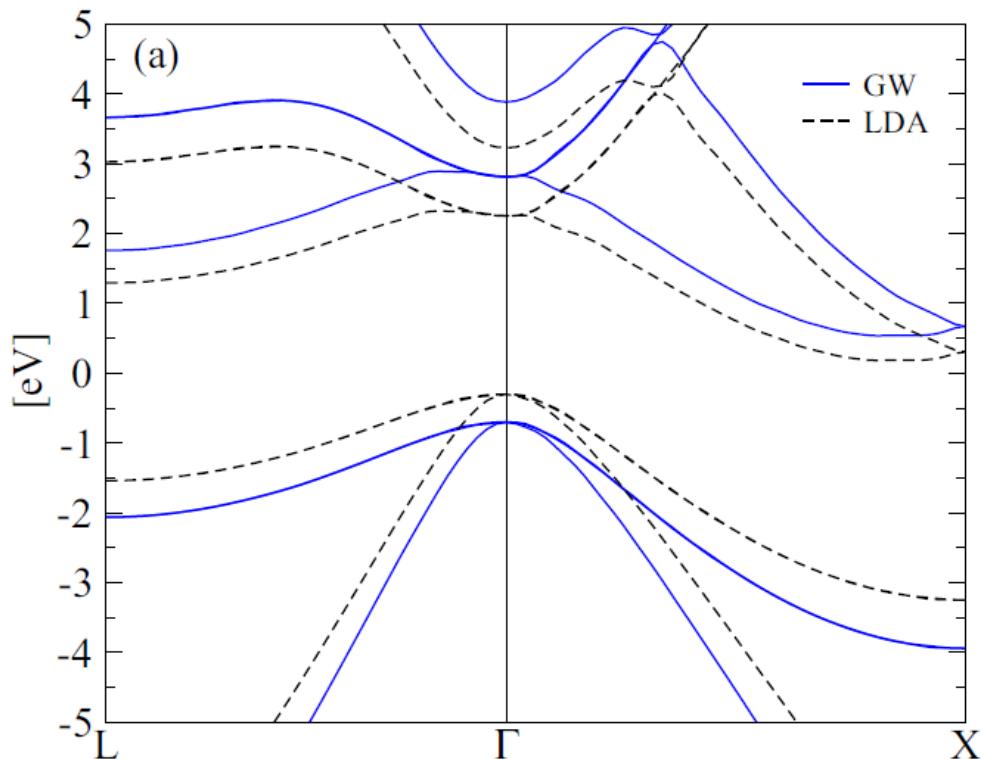
$$\epsilon_{nk}^{QP} = \epsilon_{nk}^{KS} + \langle \Sigma(\epsilon^{QP}) - V_{Hxc} \rangle$$

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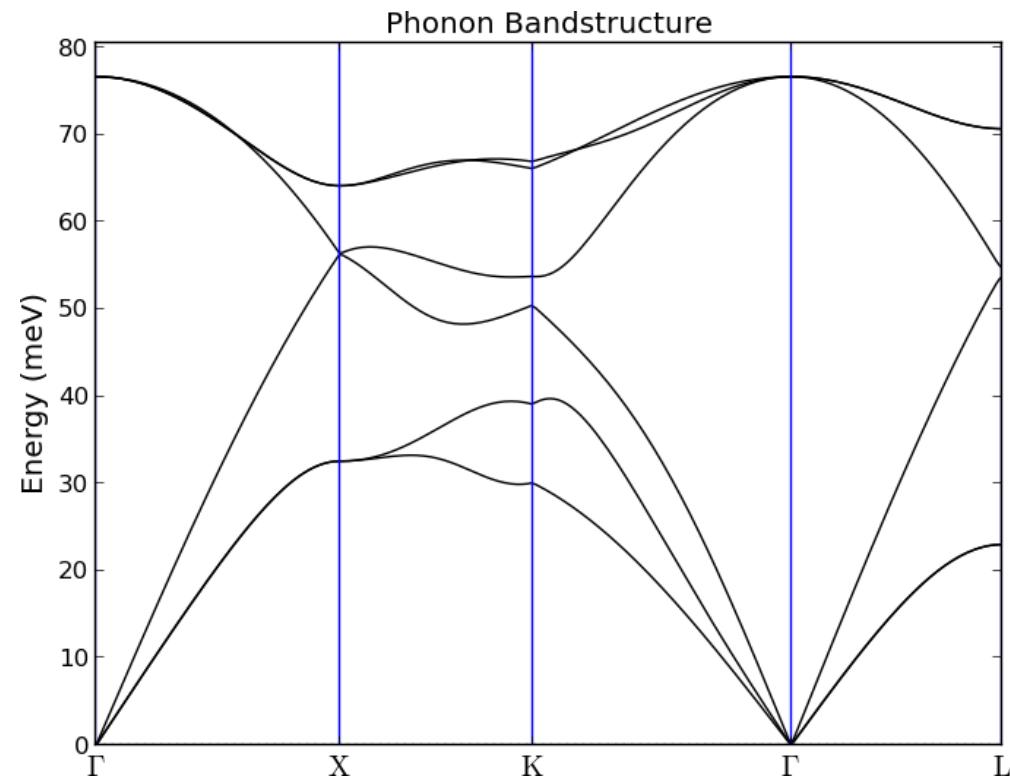
Predictive, parameters free and accurate

Computationally very demanding

The Kadanoff Baym equation

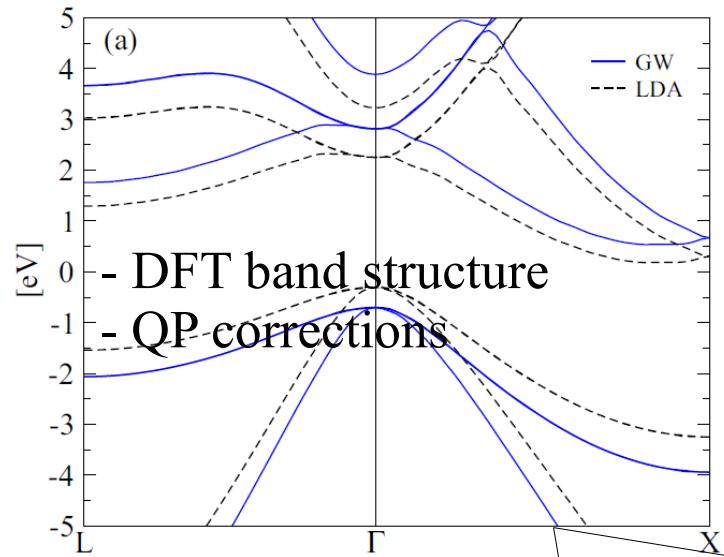


- DFT band structure
- QP corrections



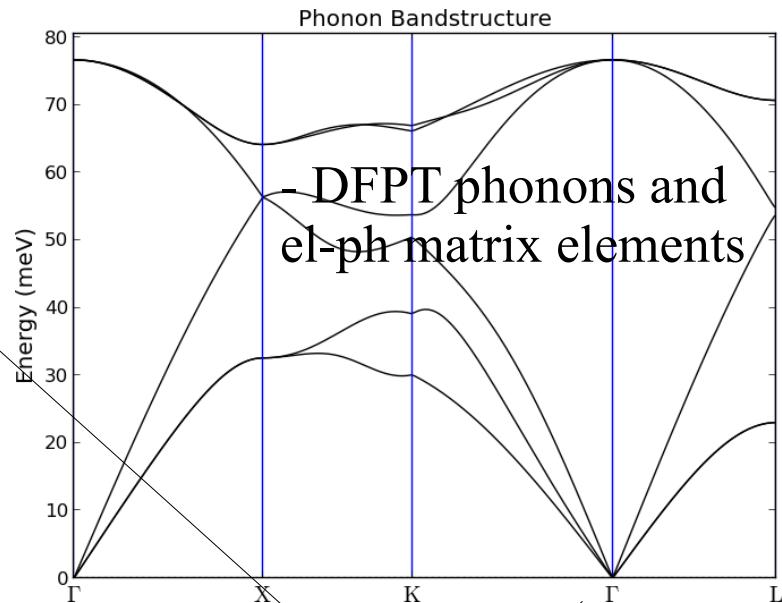
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Many body effects

Pump laser pulse



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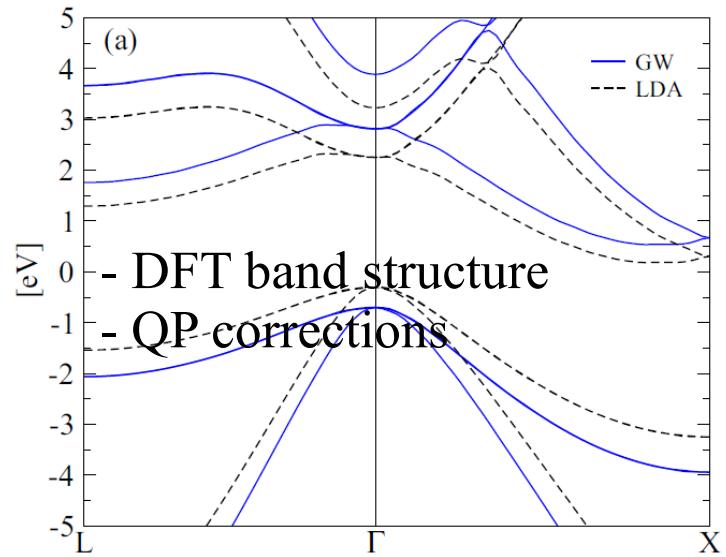
Coherent evolution

Scattering term

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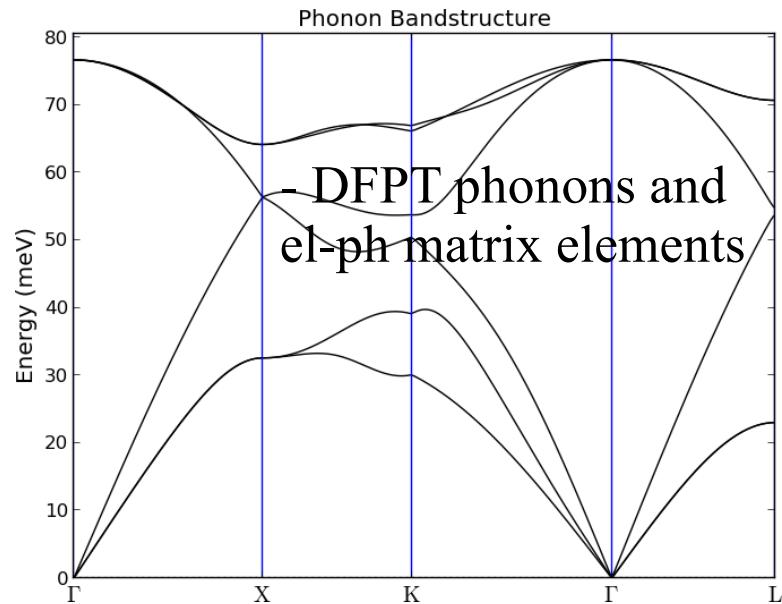
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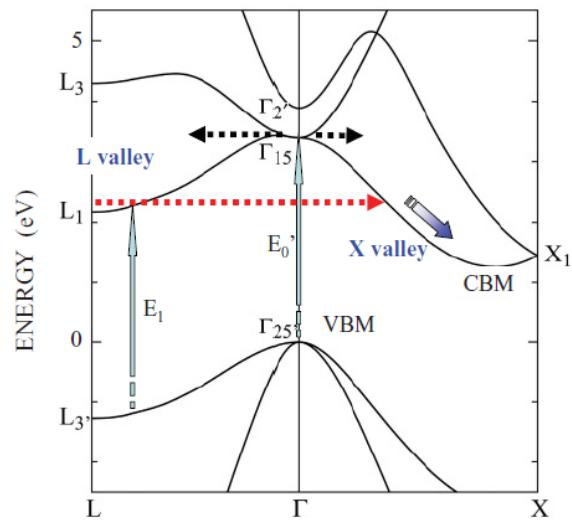
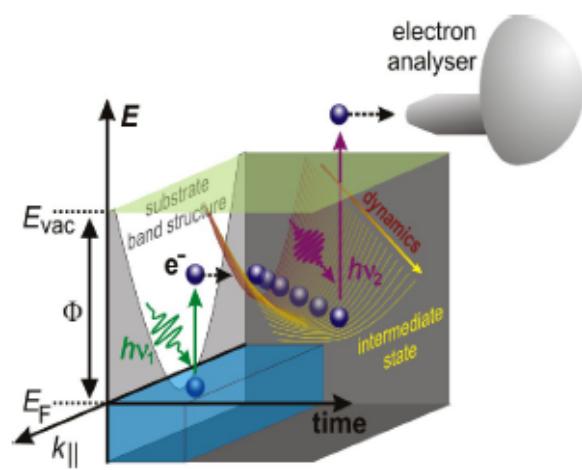
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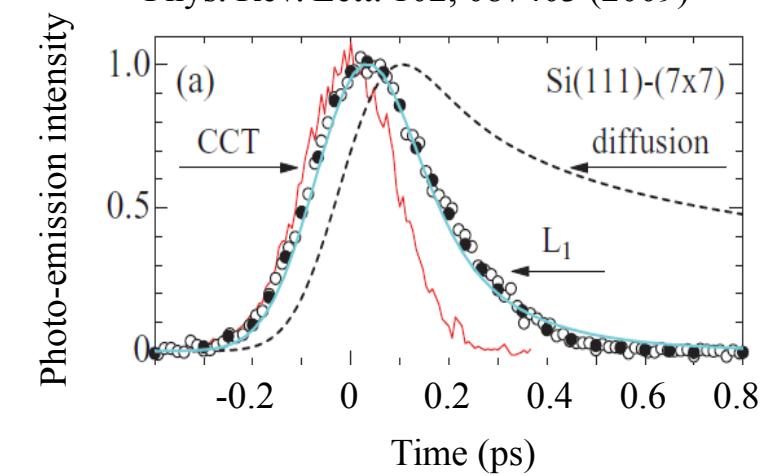
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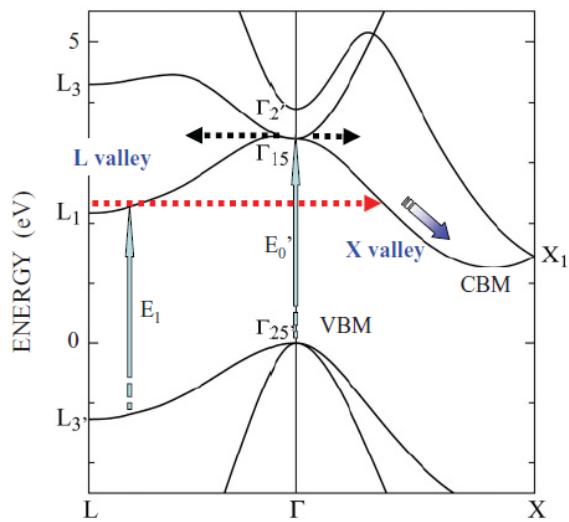
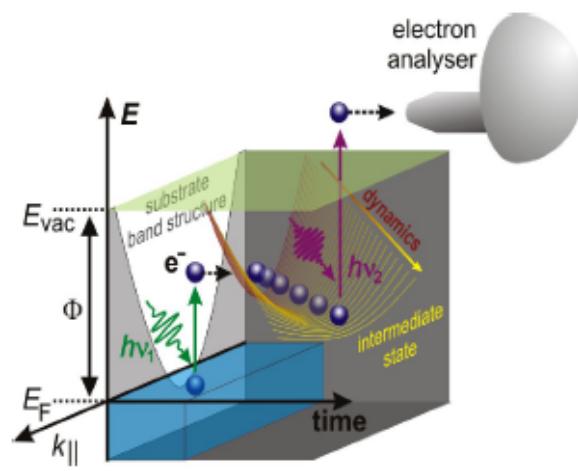
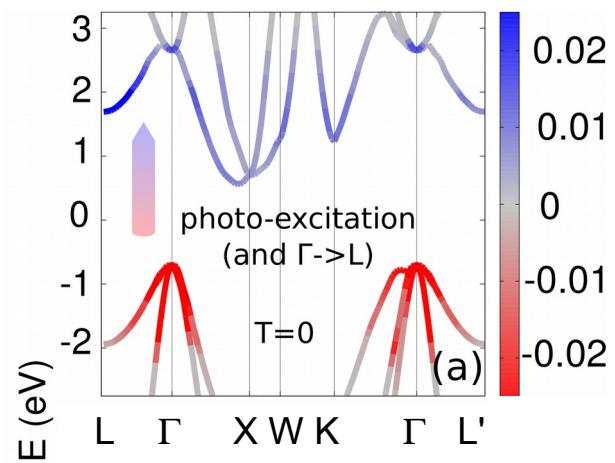
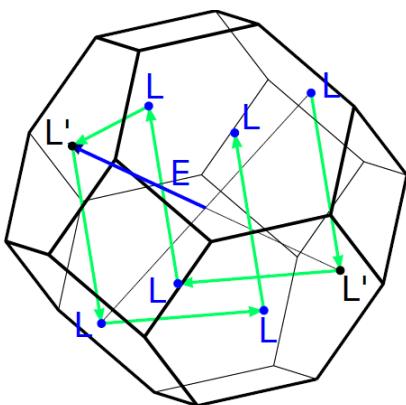
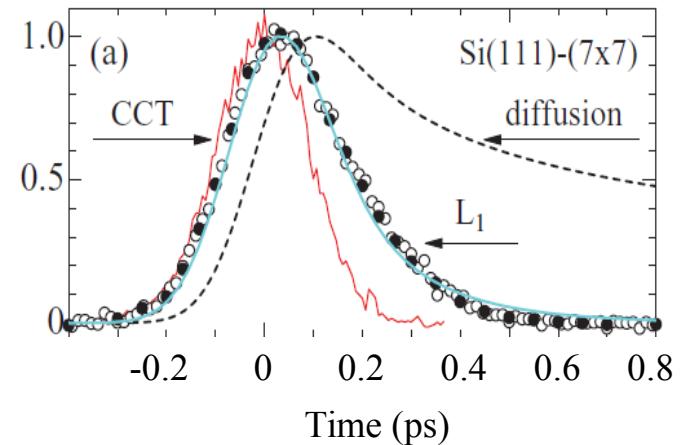
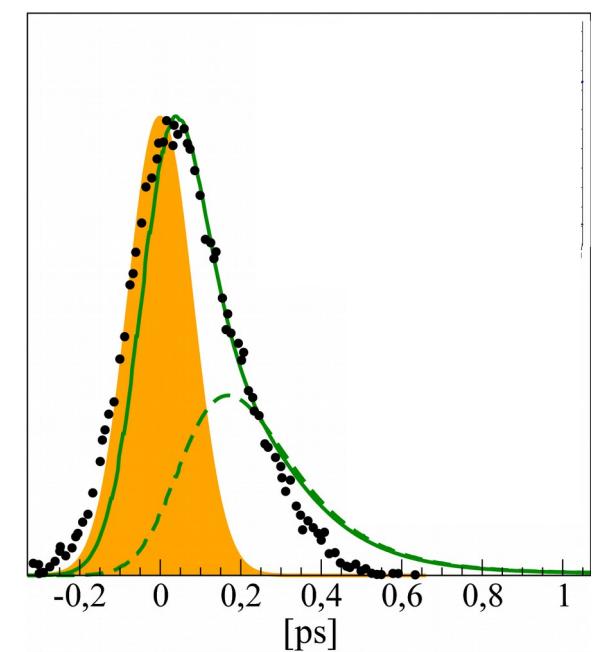
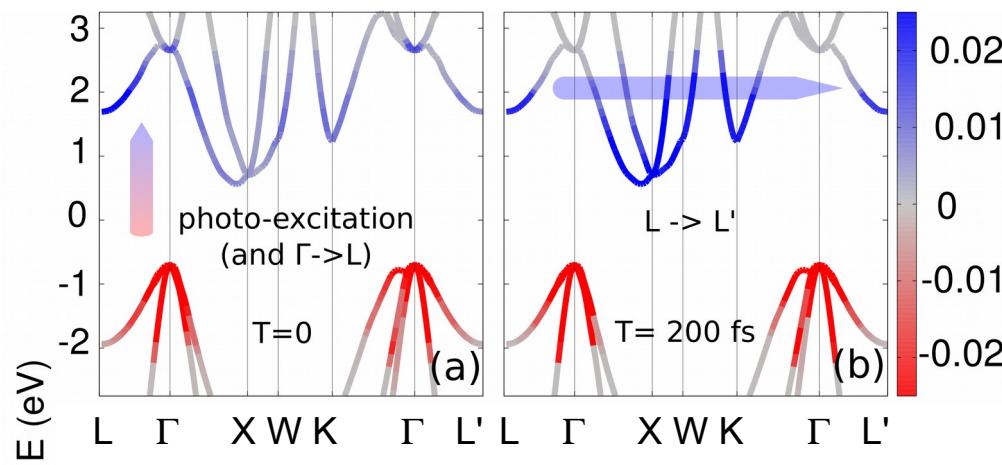
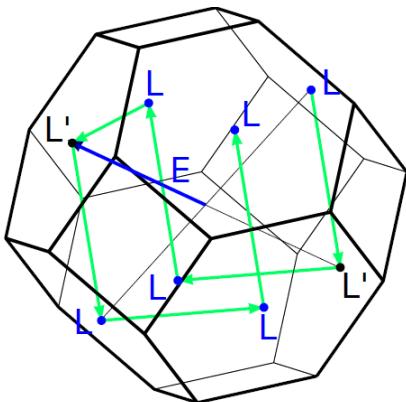
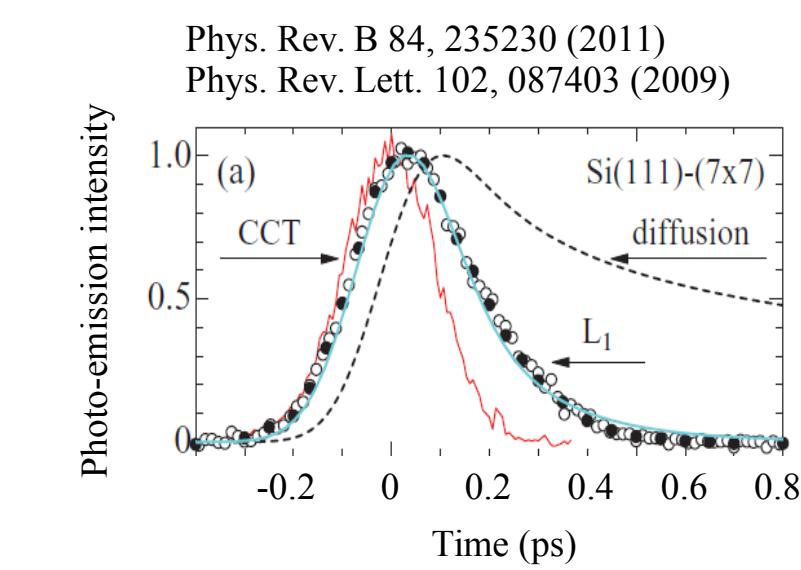
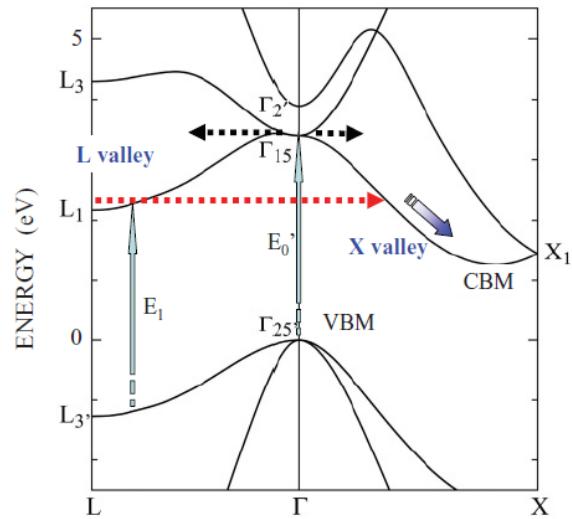
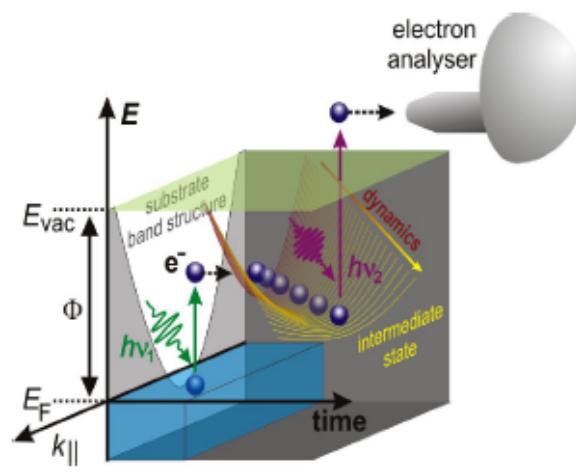


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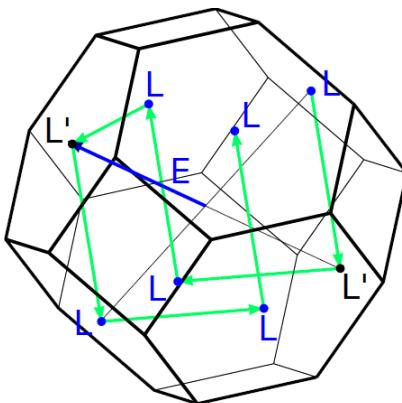
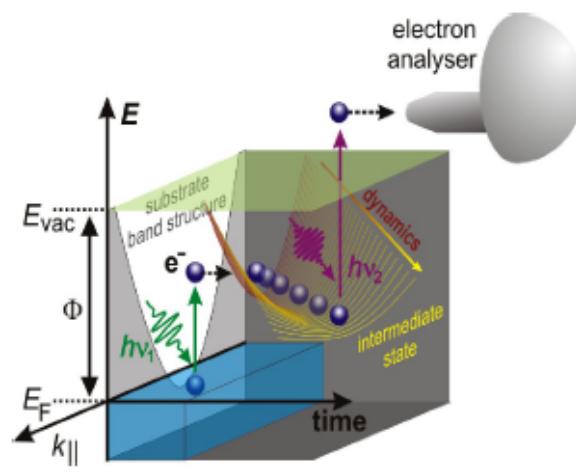
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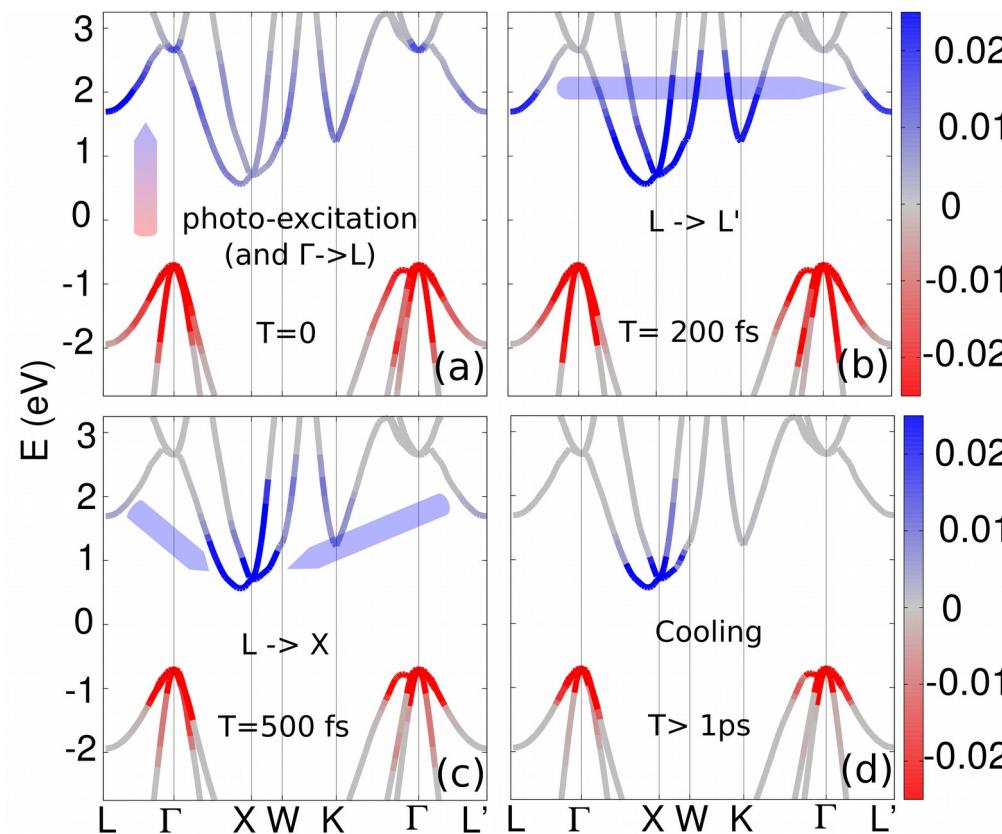
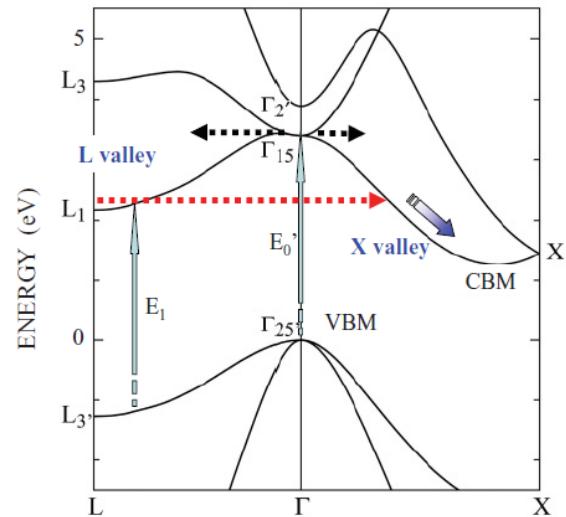
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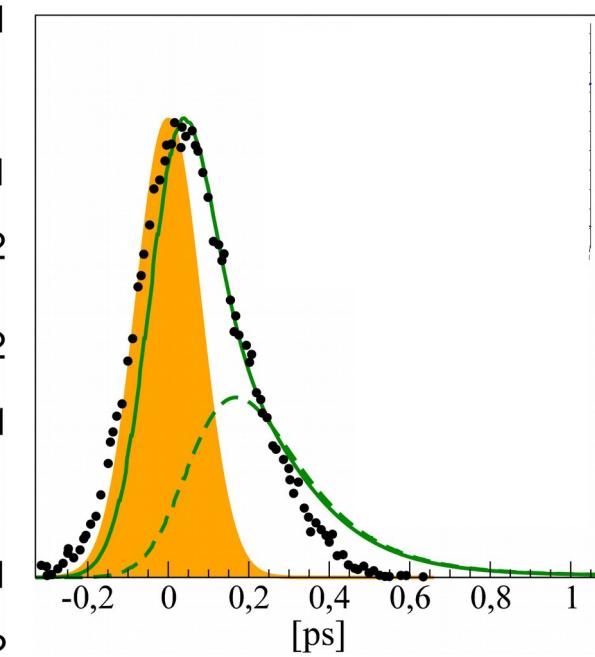
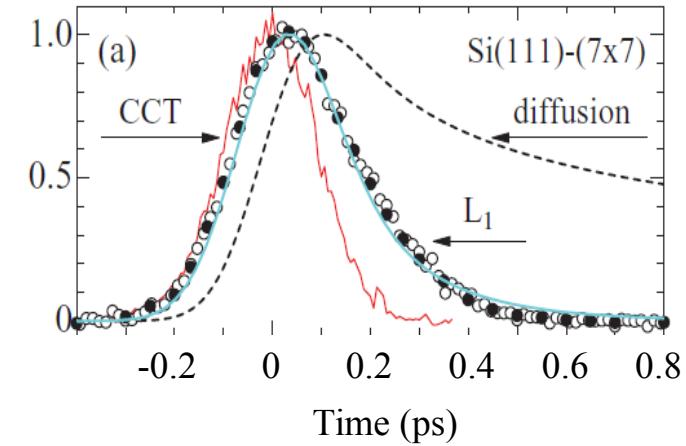
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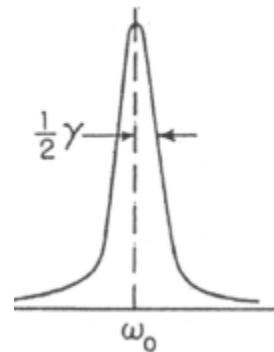
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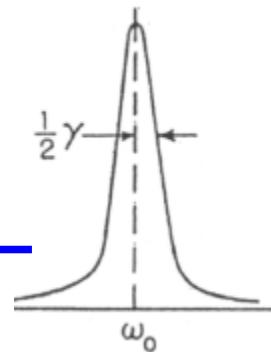
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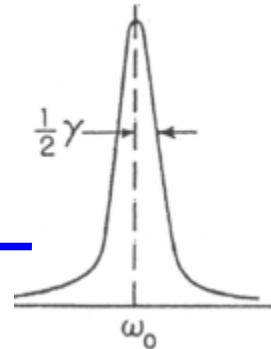
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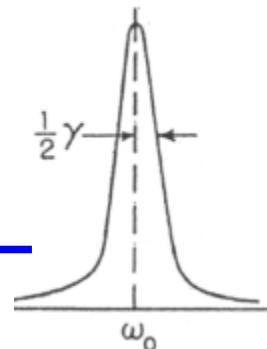
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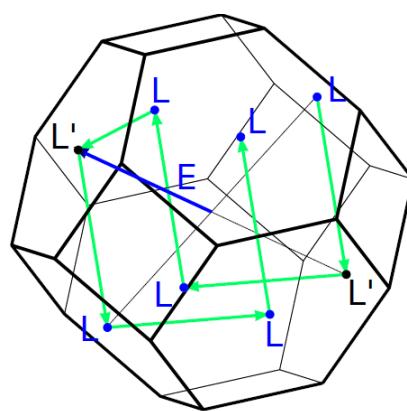
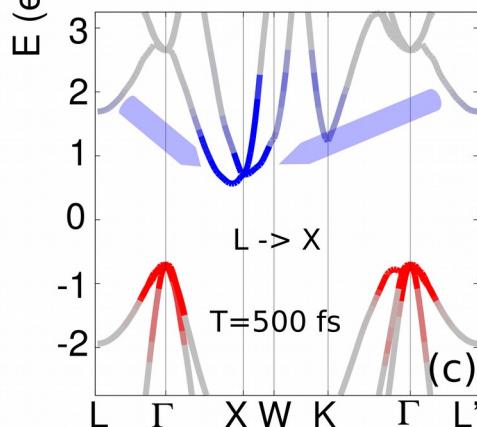
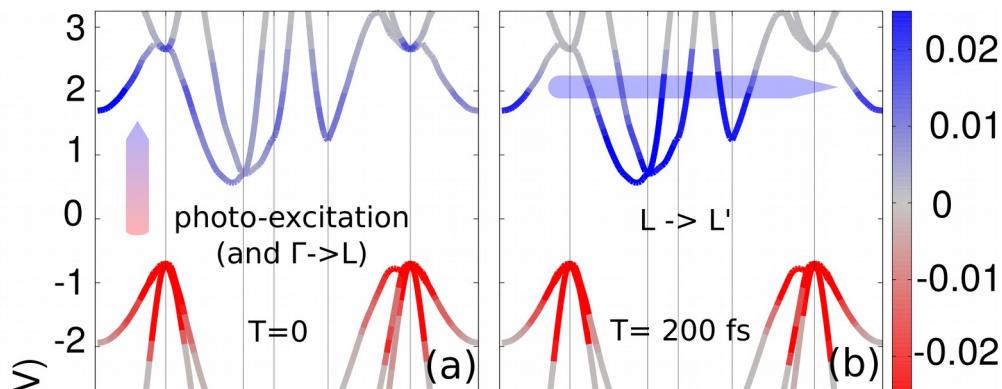
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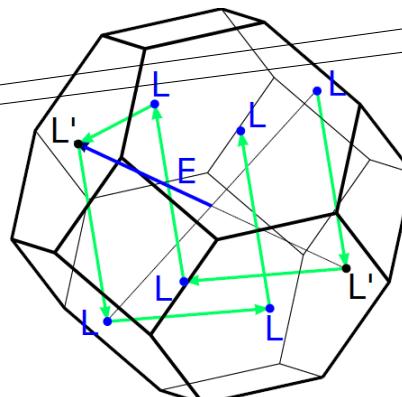
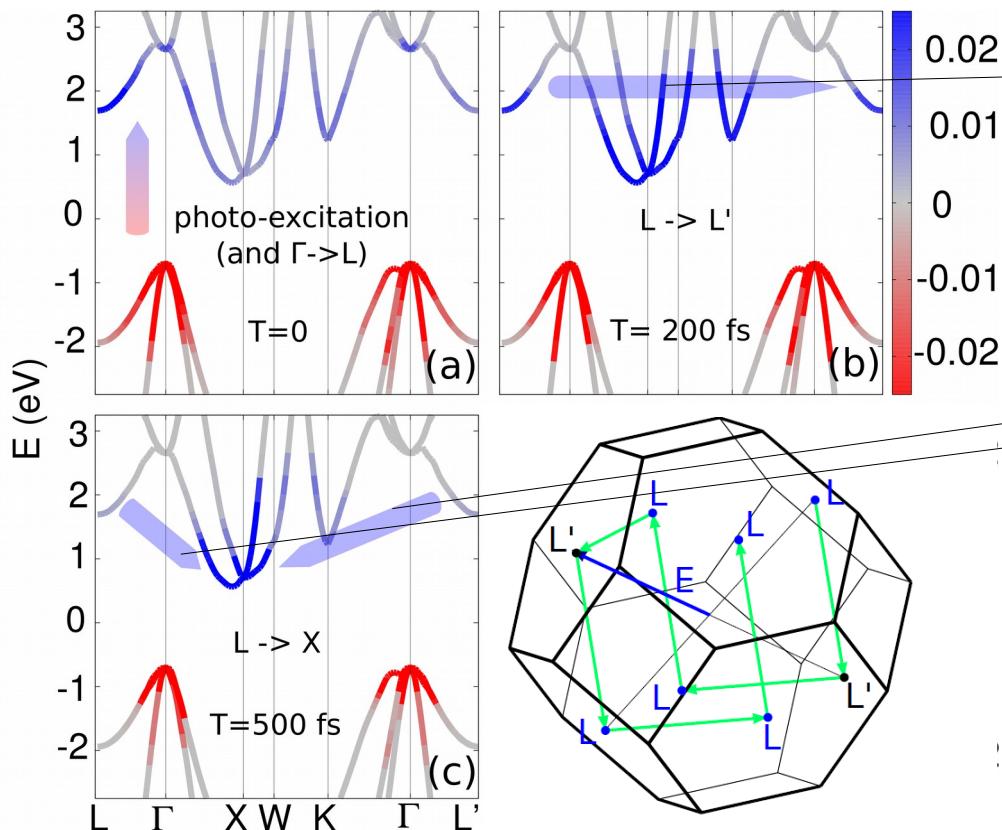
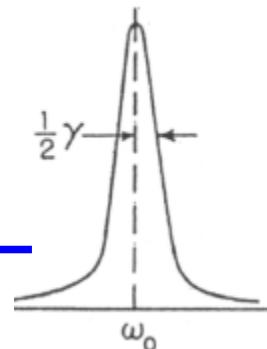


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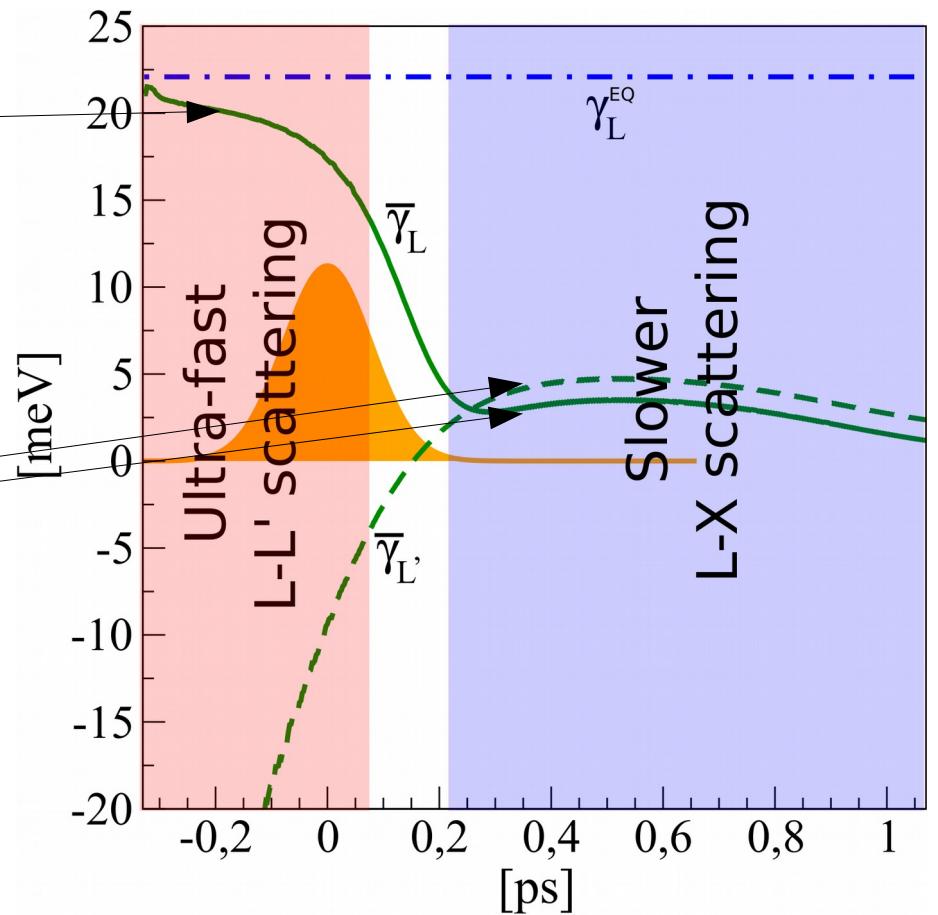
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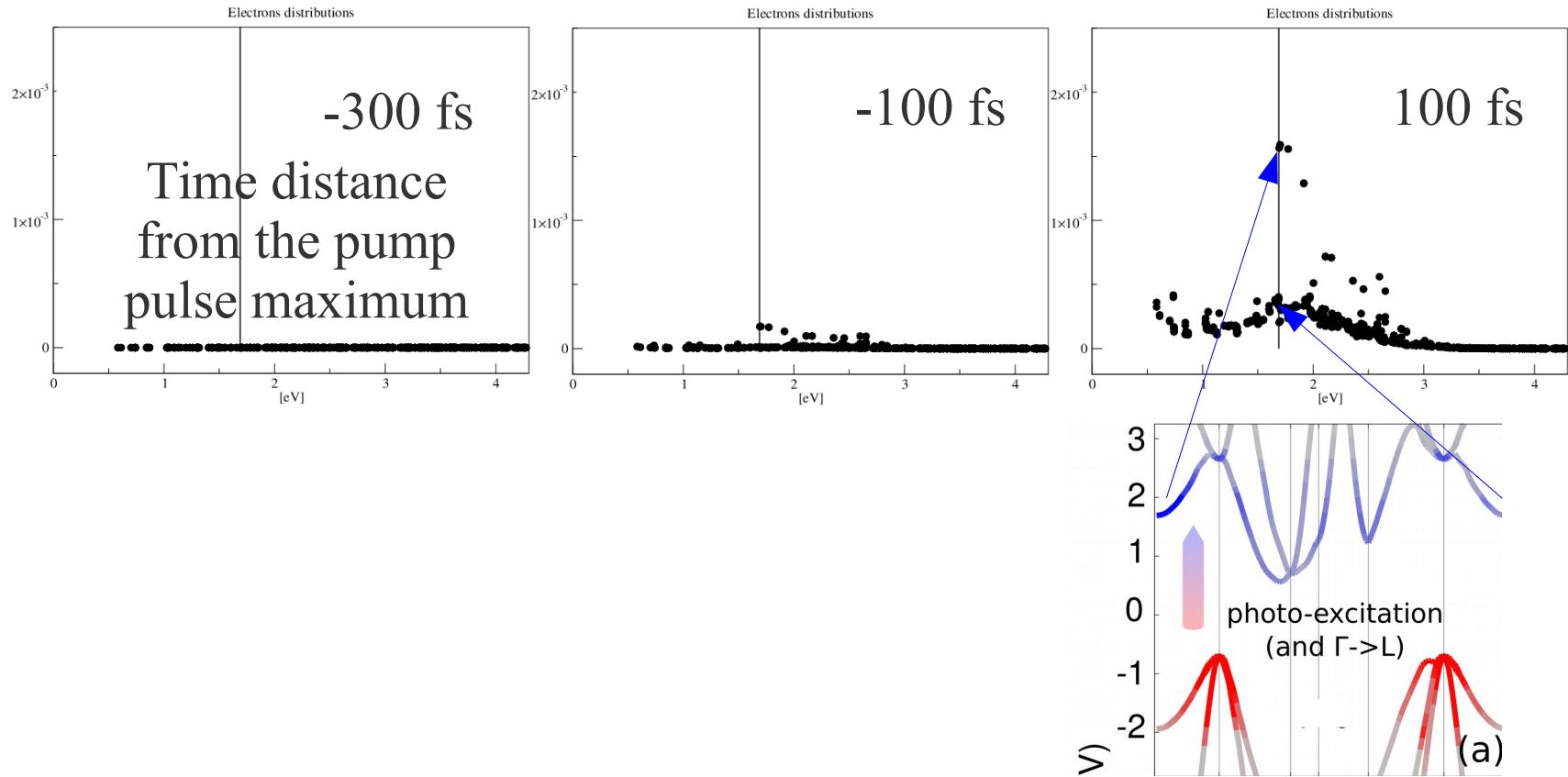
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$$f_{nk}^{(e)}(\epsilon_{nk})$$

Formation of Fermi distributions

Occupations



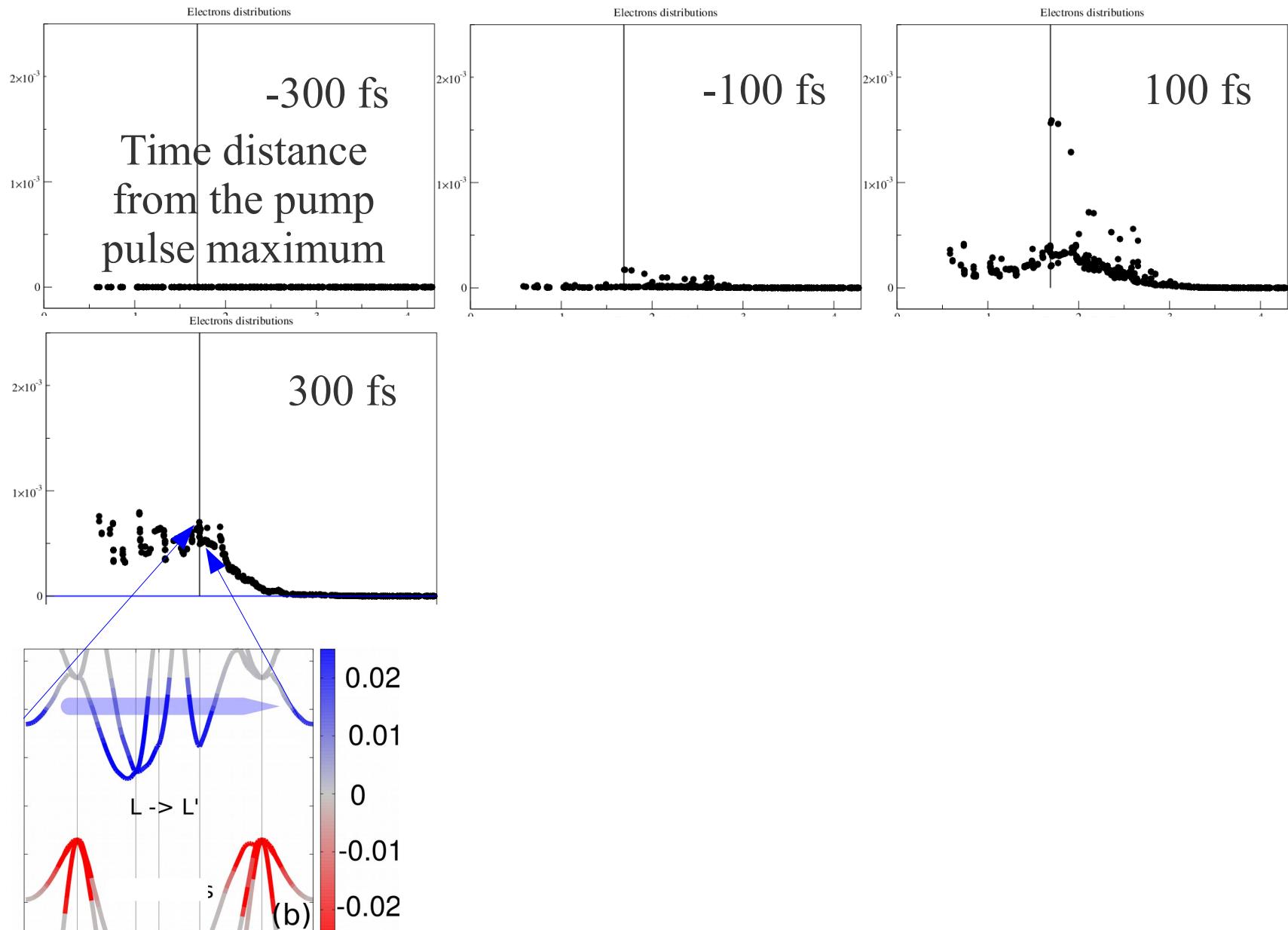
$$S_{nnk}^<(t) = \gamma_{nk}^{(h)} f_{nk}^{(h)}(t) - \gamma_{nk}^{(e)} f_{nk}^{(e)}(t)$$

Energy [eV]

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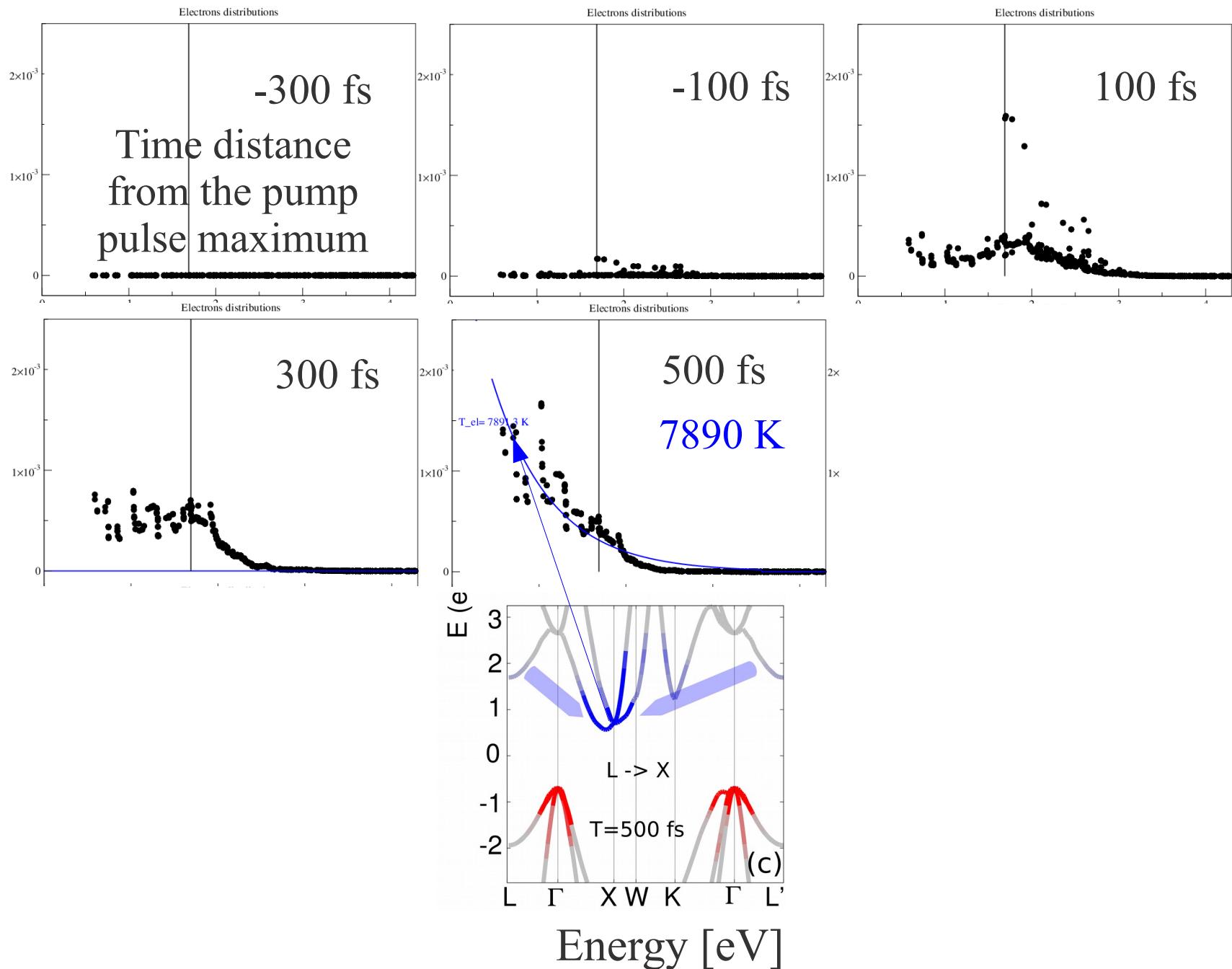
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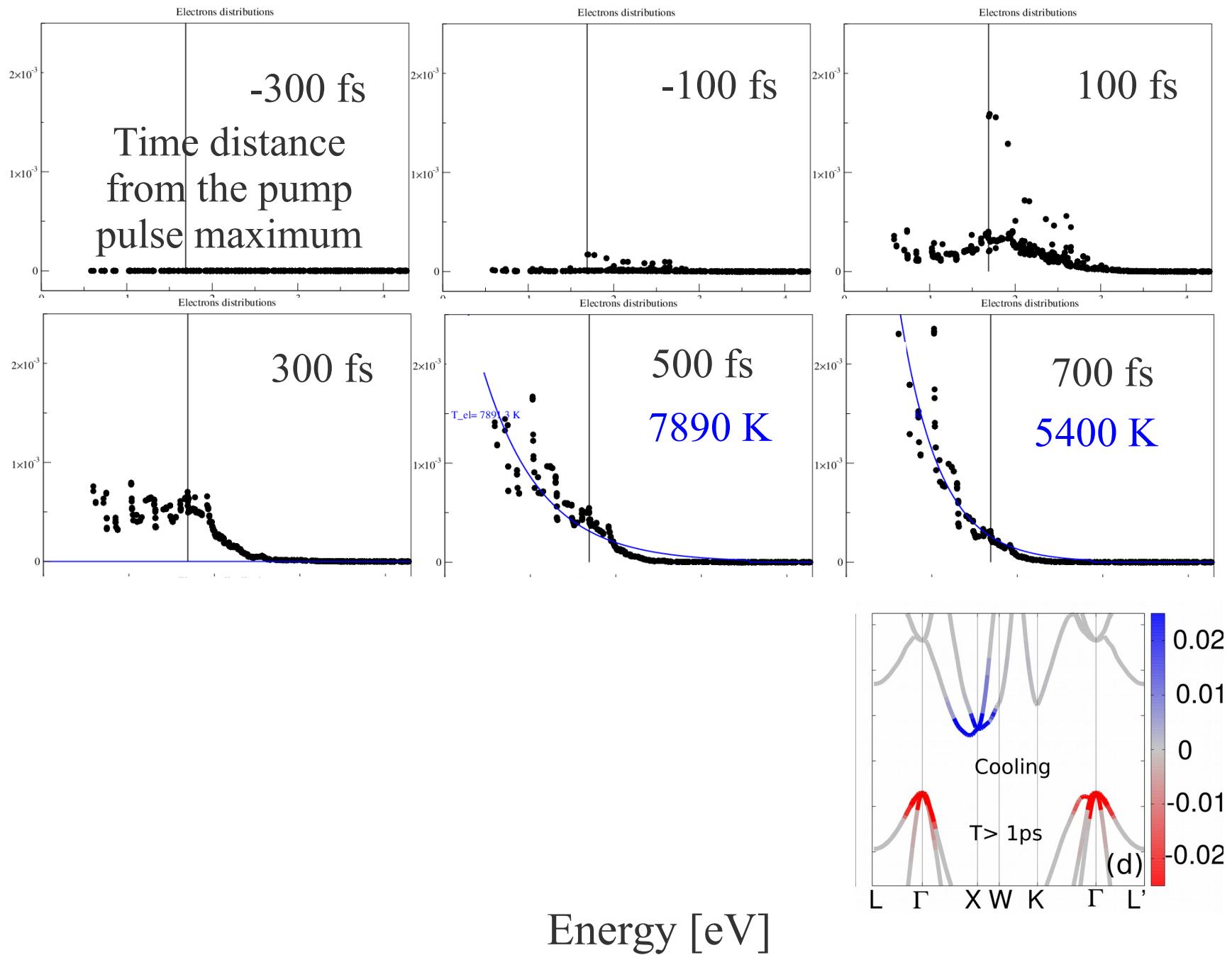
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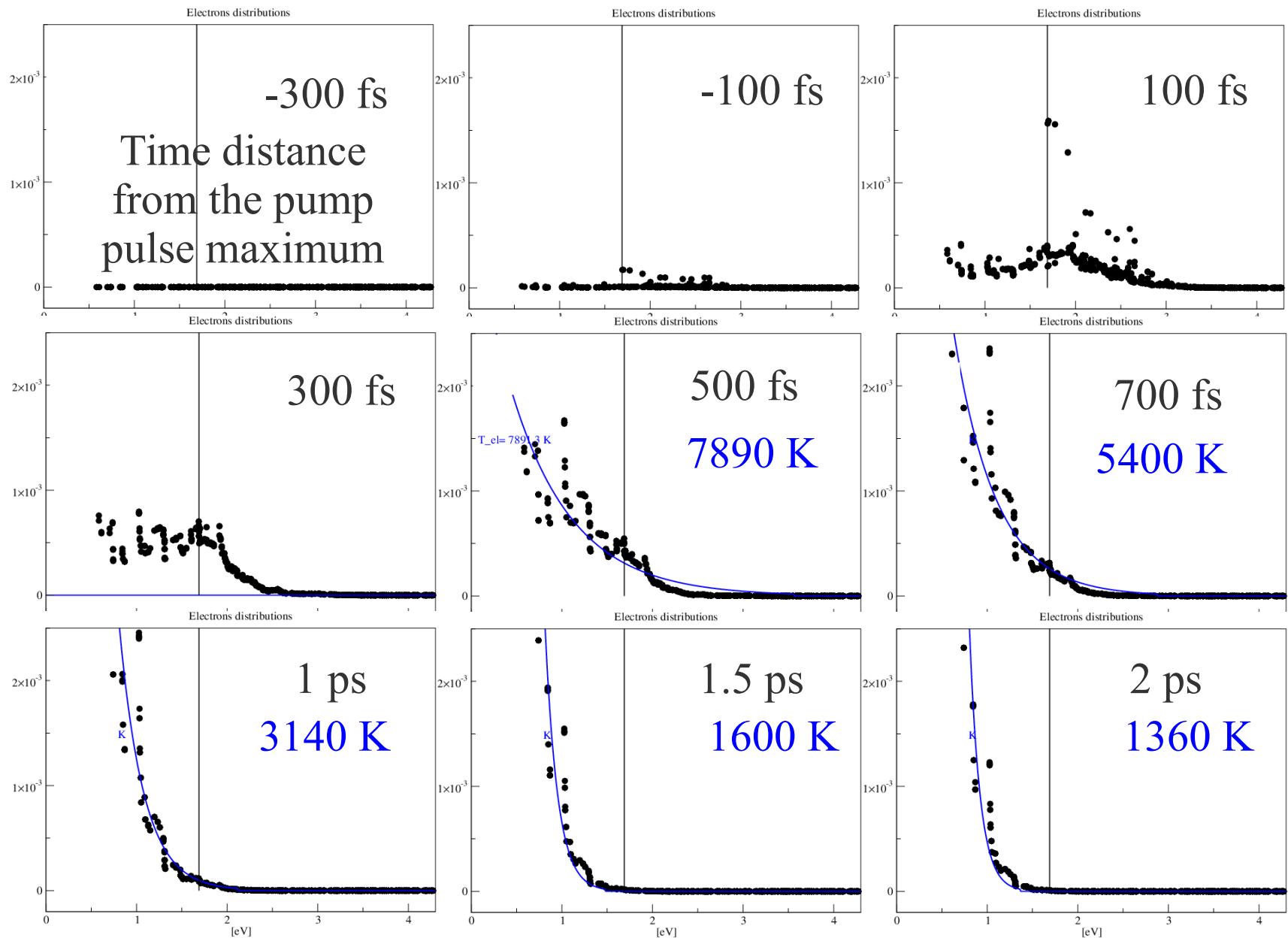
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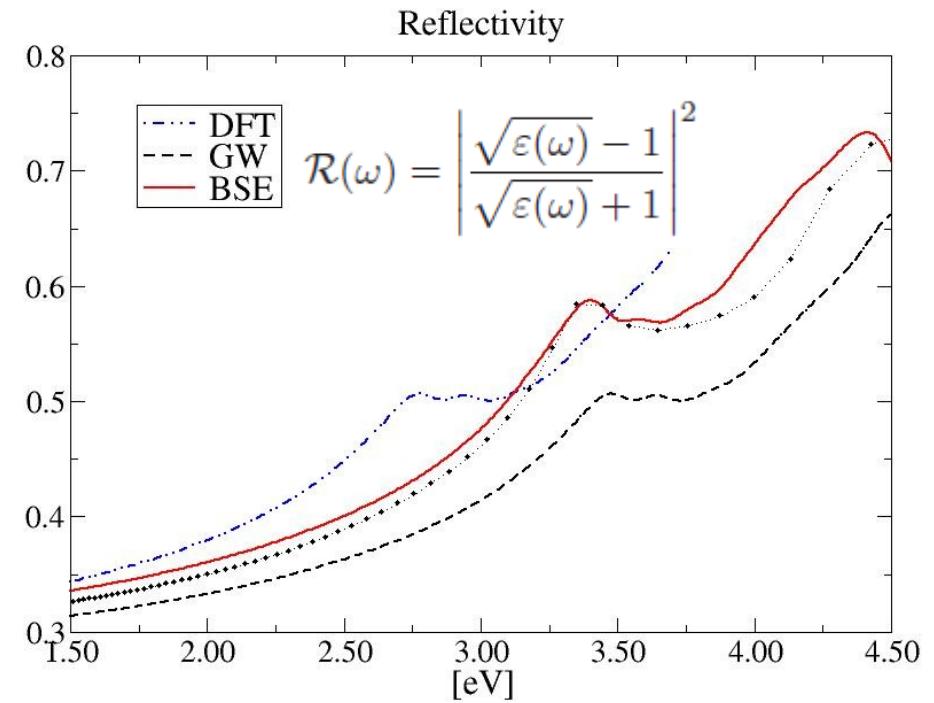
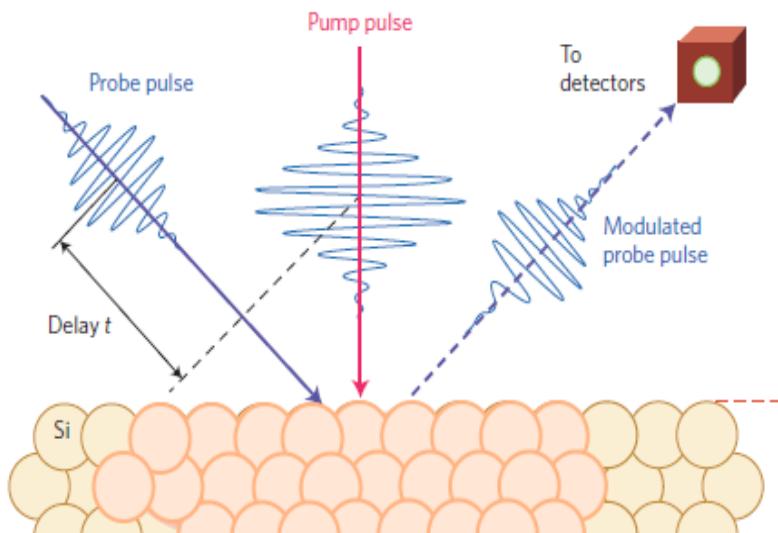
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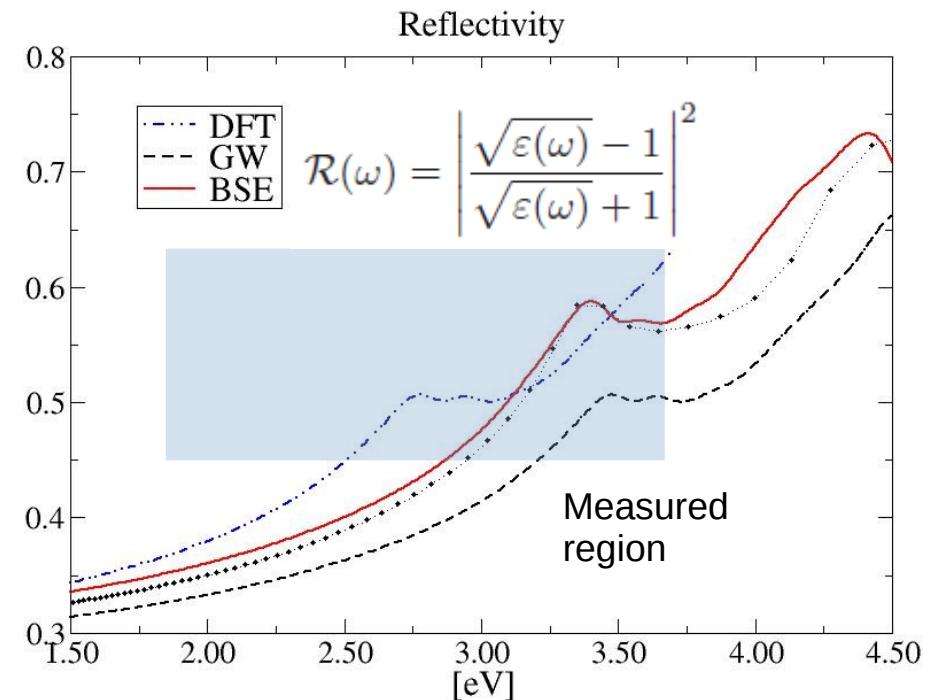
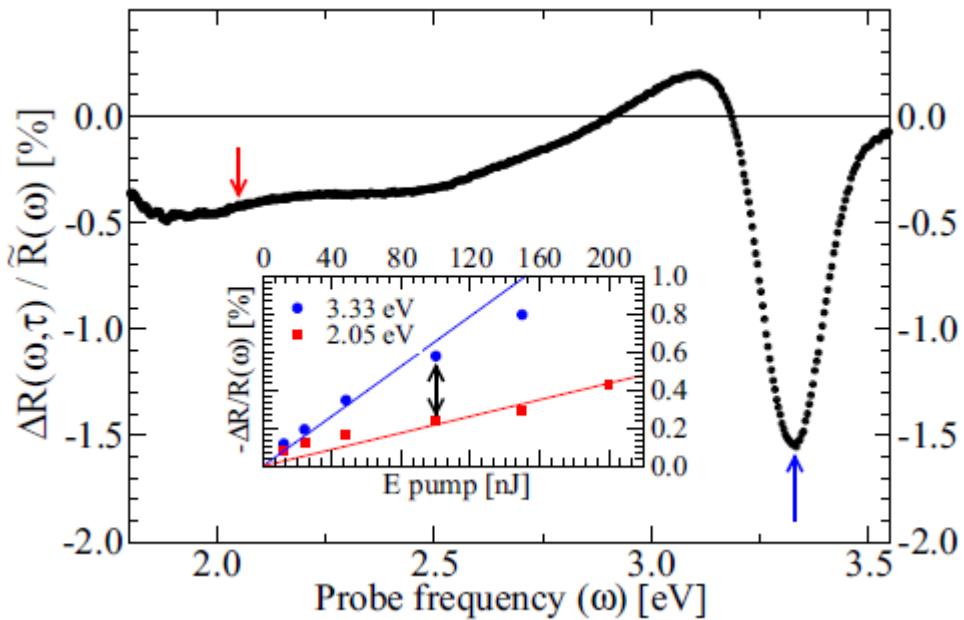
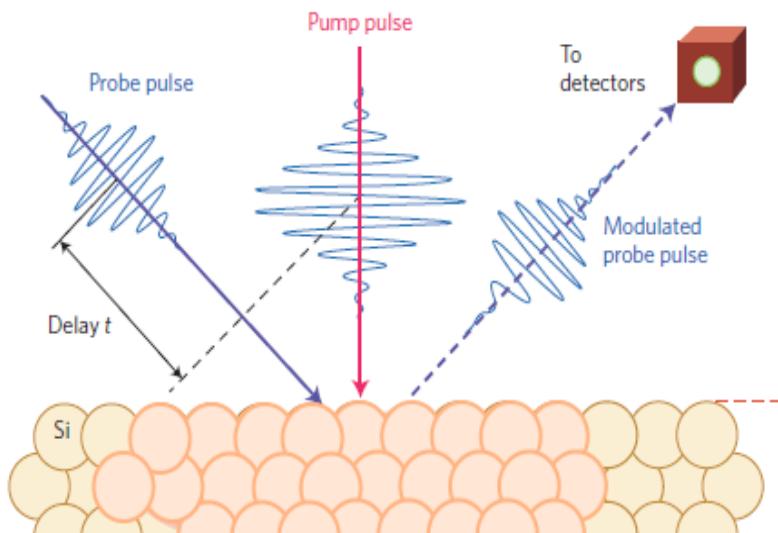
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Transient reflectivity Silicon



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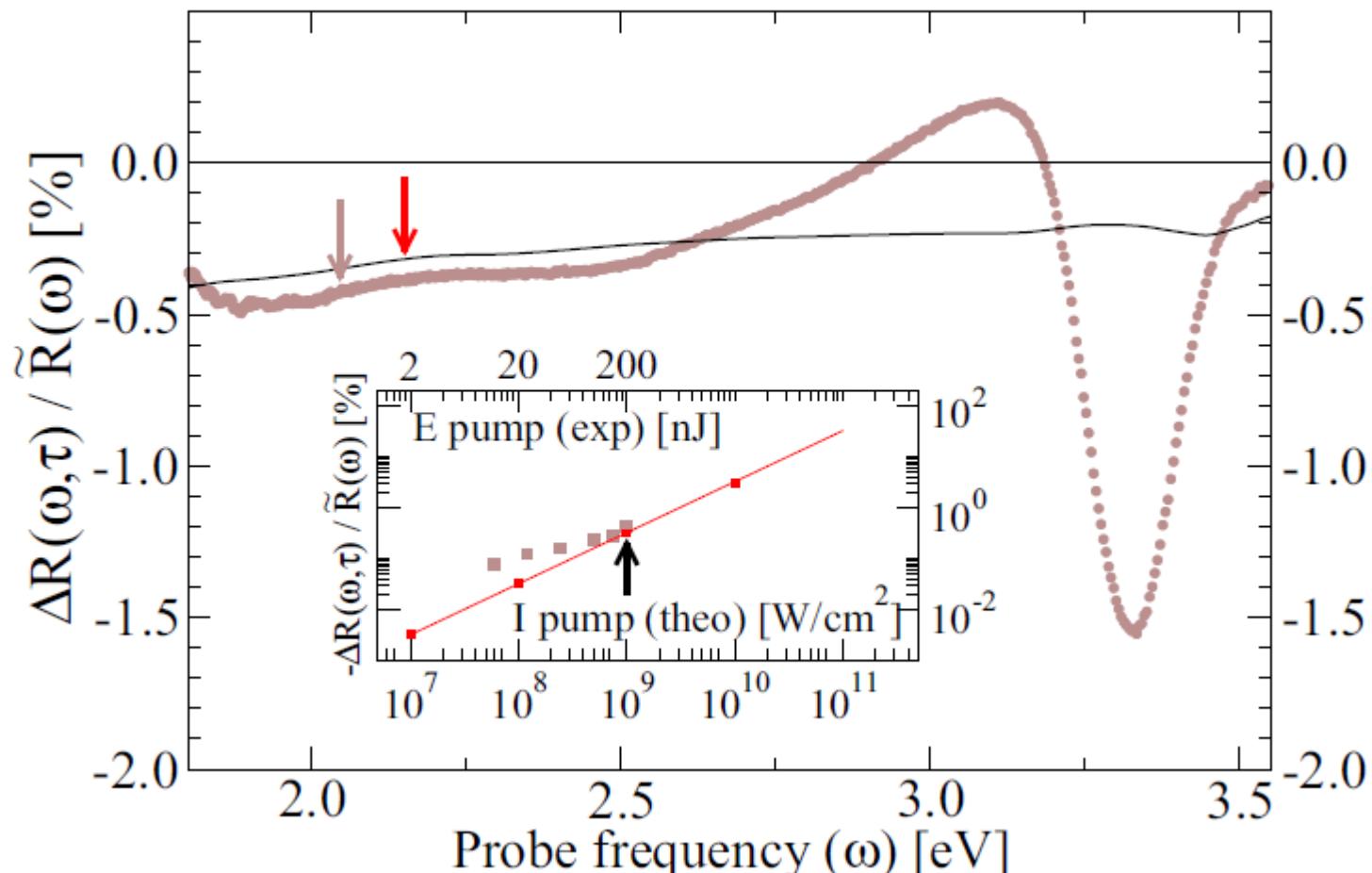


Pump
Energy 3.1 eV
Fluence 12 nJ – 200 nJ

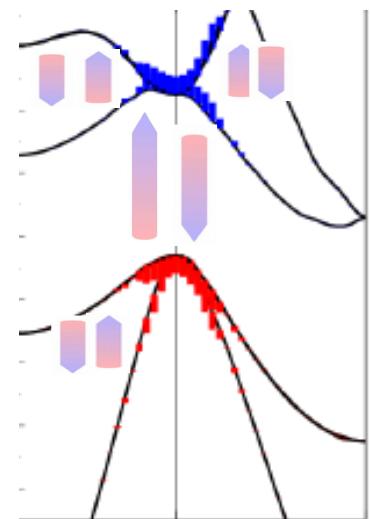
White Probe
1.7 – 3.1 eV

Transient reflectivity Silicon

Residuals Renormalization



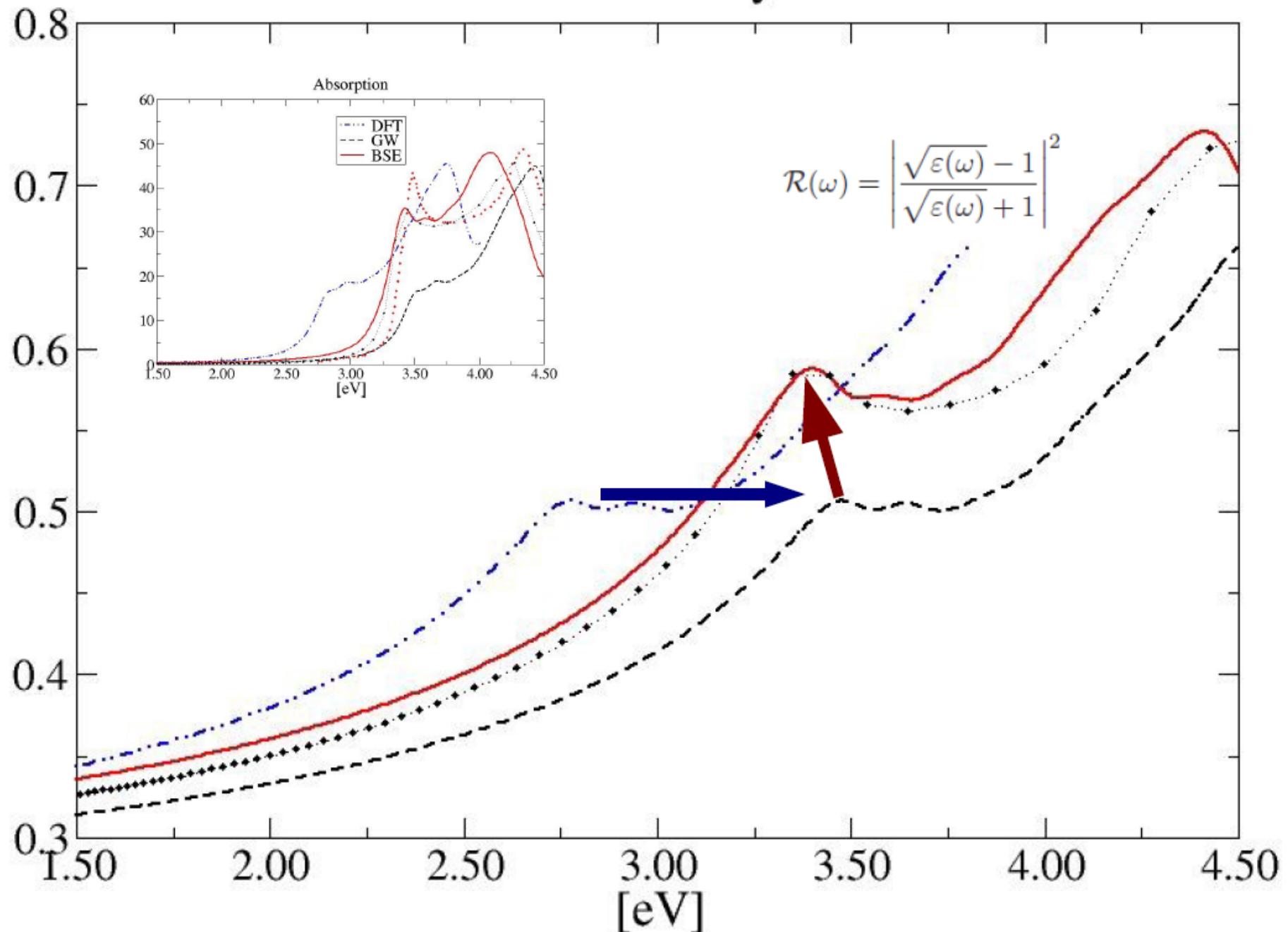
Bleaching,
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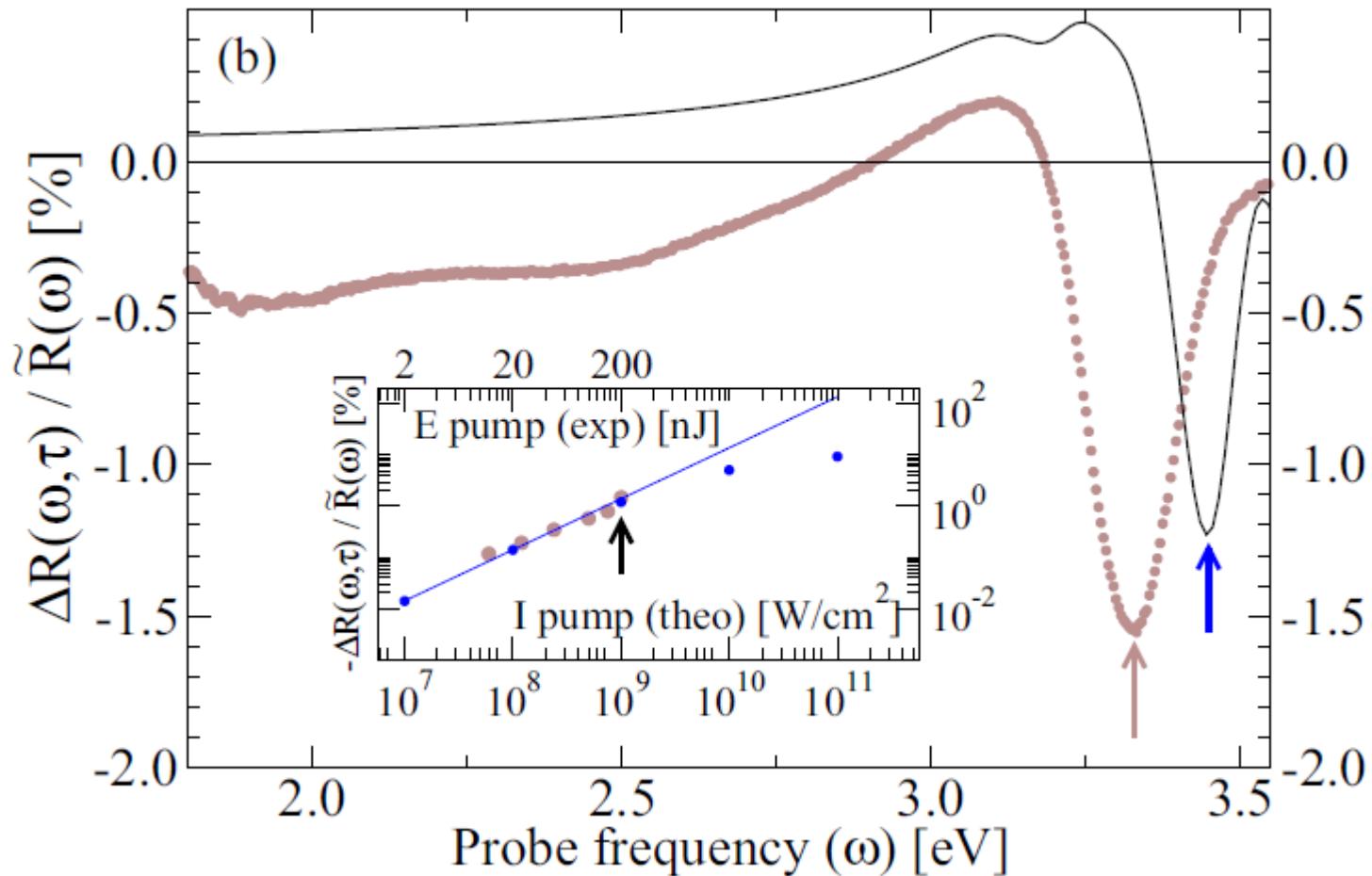
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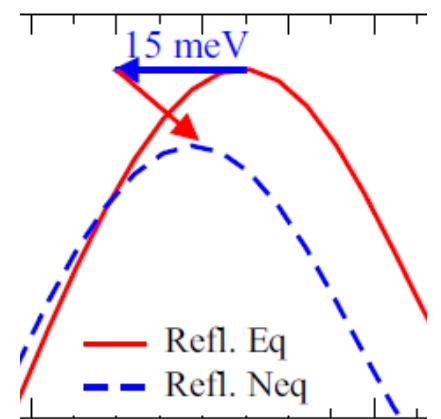
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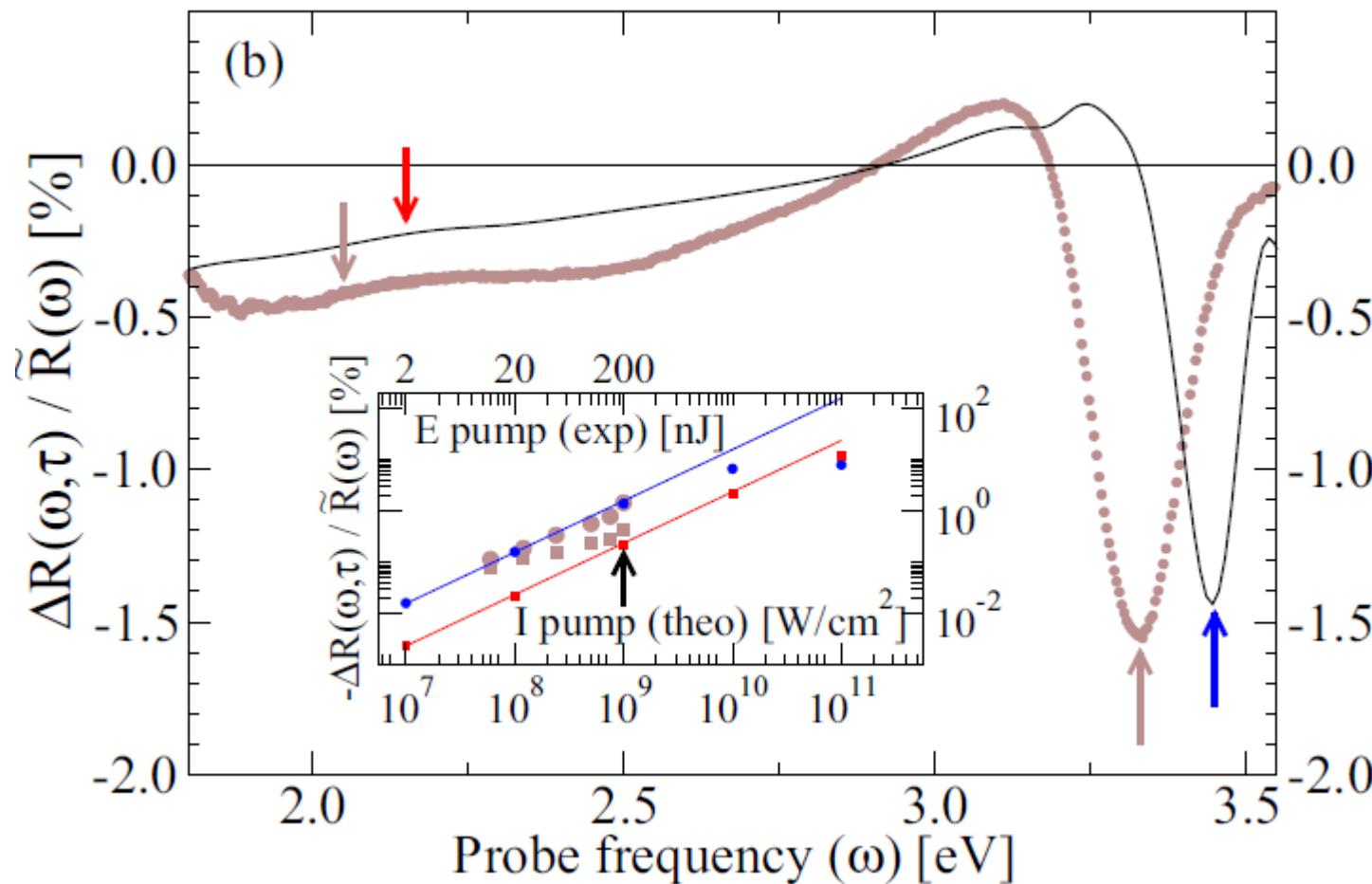


Screening effects

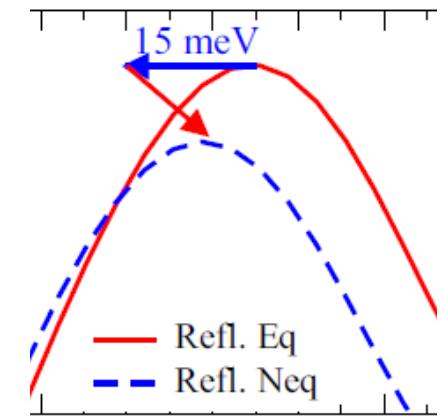


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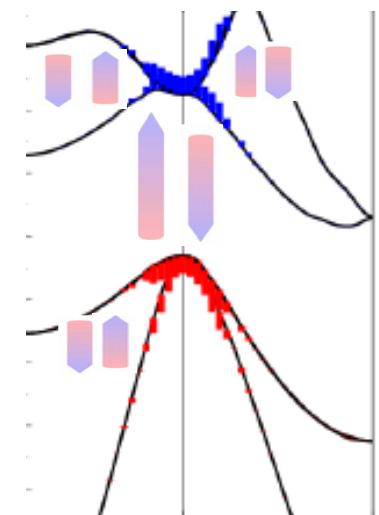


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Silicon case: N = 8; 743 matrixies on a double grid in the IBZ (4x4x4 + 15x15x15)
 (6x6x6 + 25x25x25)

All EOM are coupled via

- a) The calculation of the density matrix (easy part)
- b) The scattering processes from $k \rightarrow k+q$ which need to be updated

Some timing on bulk silicon @ (4x4x4+15x15x15):

DFT: (i) scf:	~1s	serial (coarse grid)
(ii) nscf:	33s	serial (coarse grid, 100 bands)
	5m 6s	4 cores (fine grid)
DFPT: (i) phonons and elph:	1m	4 cores (coarse grid, 10 bands)
GW:	9h 8m	4 cores (fine grid)
BSE:	1h30m	4 cores (fine grid)
SEX Kernel:	2m48s	4 cores (coarse grid)
NEGF: (t=0.01 fs)	14h38m	4 cores (double grid, scatt. 2.5 fs, 11h1m)
NEQ COHSEX:	1h51m	4 cores (fine grid)
NEQ BSE:	2h40m	4 cores (fine grid)