

# Exoplanetary Microlensing science with WFIRST

## Part II

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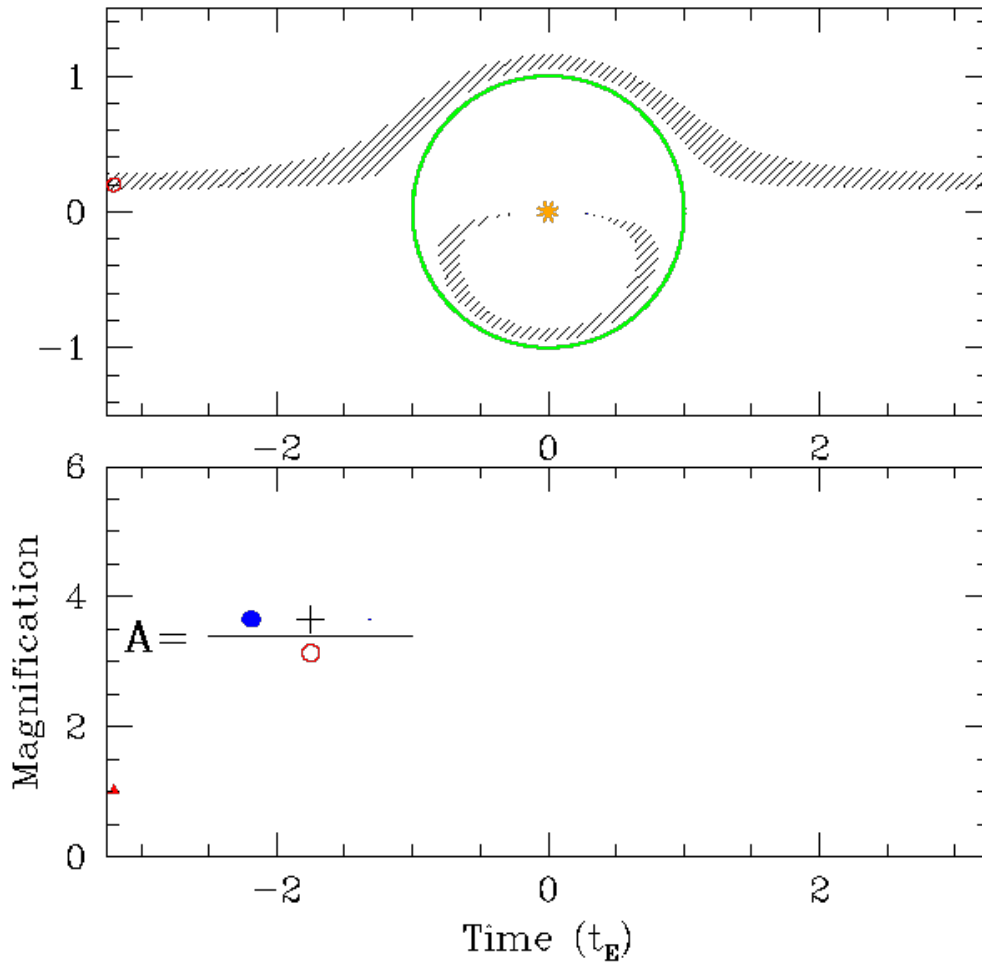
# *WFIRST* Microlensing Primer Series

- I. Basic Introduction to the Methodology and Theory of Gravitational Microlensing Searches for Exoplanets  
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- II. Lens Companion Detection and Characterization  
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- III. Results from and Future Directions for **Ground**-based Microlensing Surveys  
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# Microlensing basics summary

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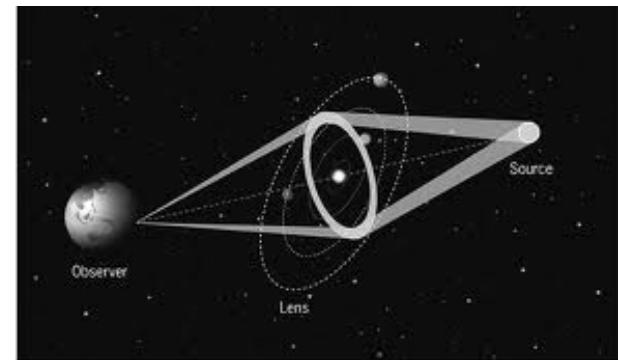


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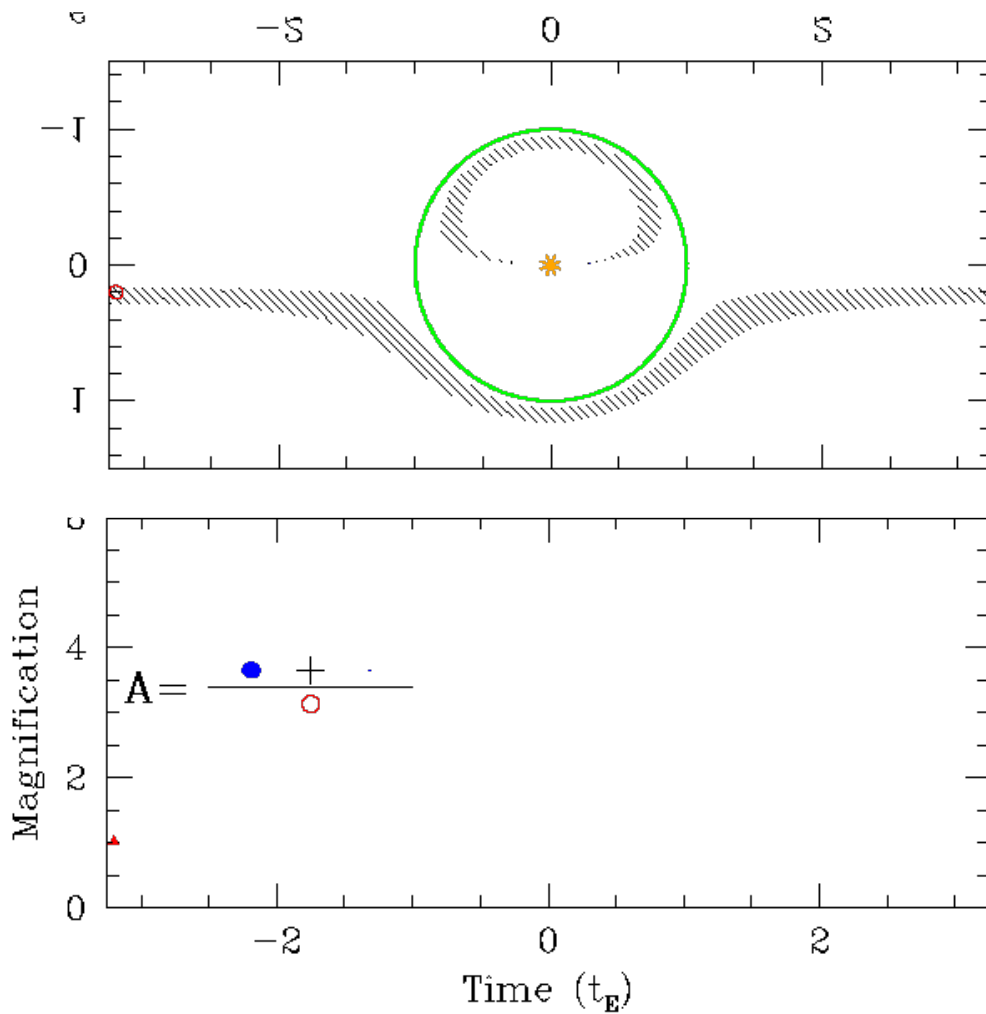
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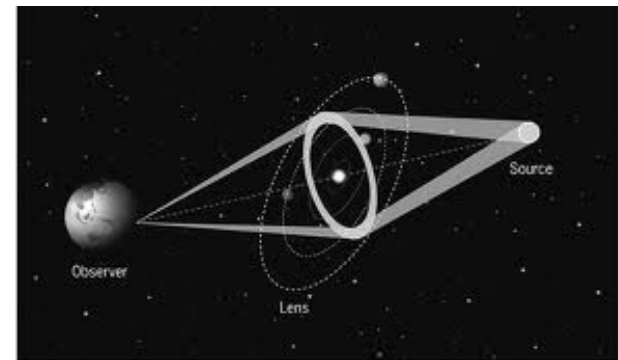


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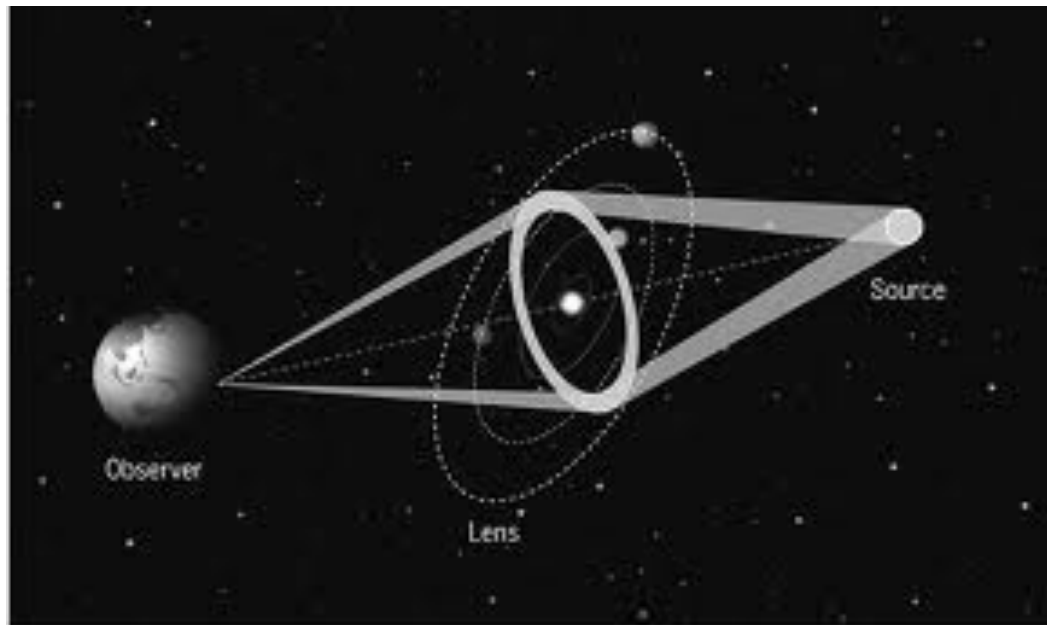
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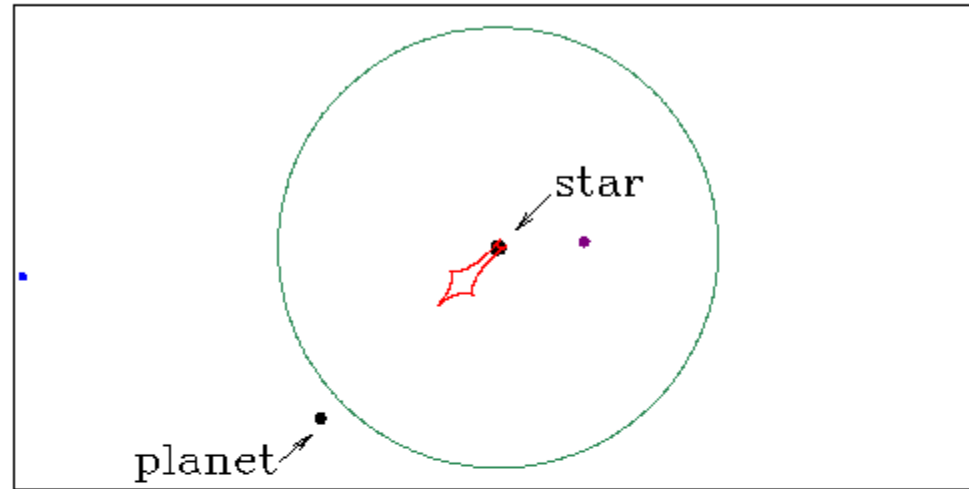
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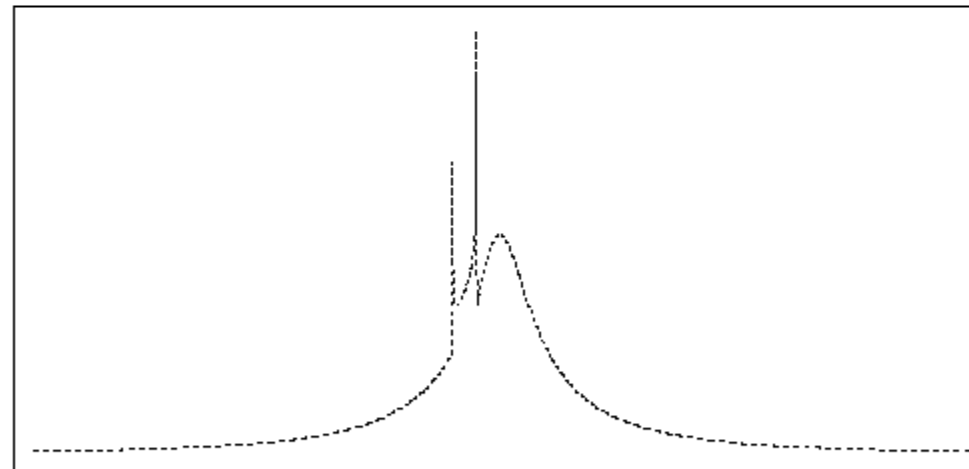
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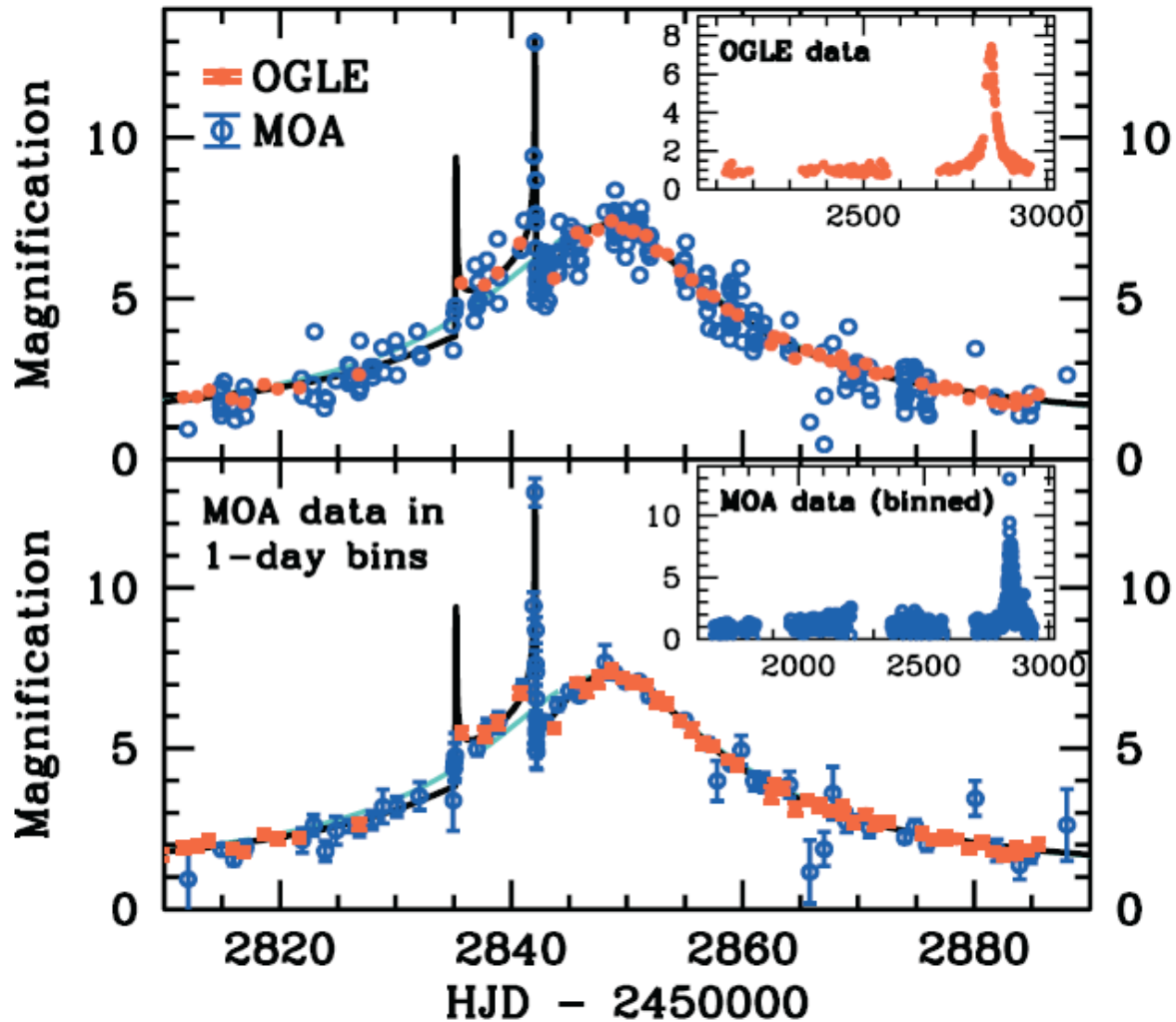


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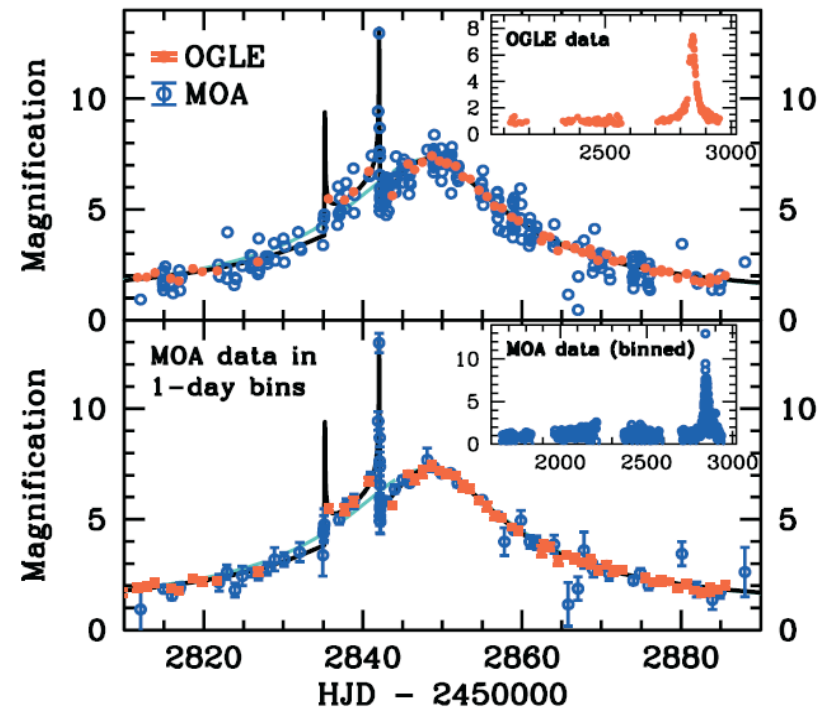
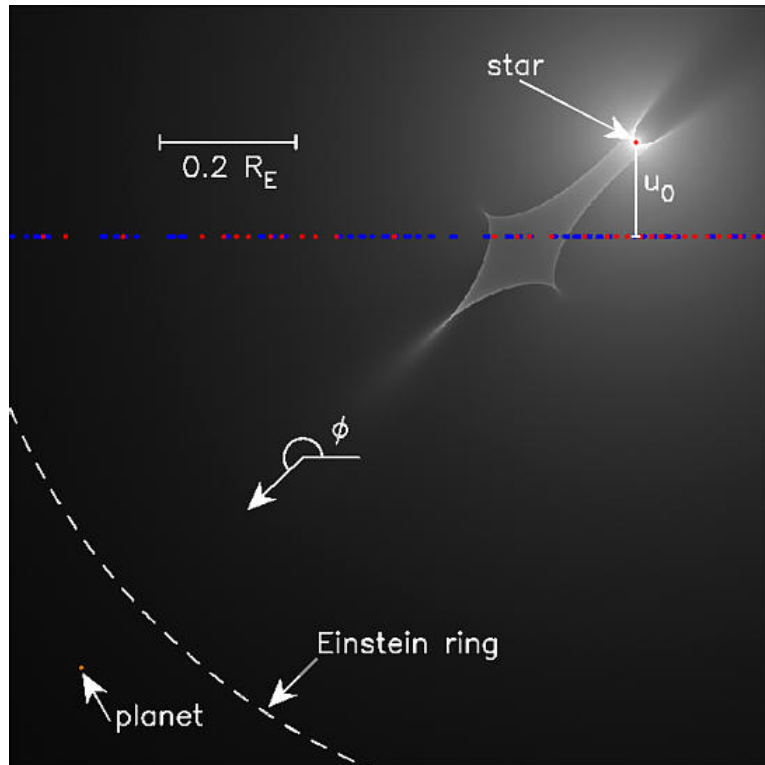


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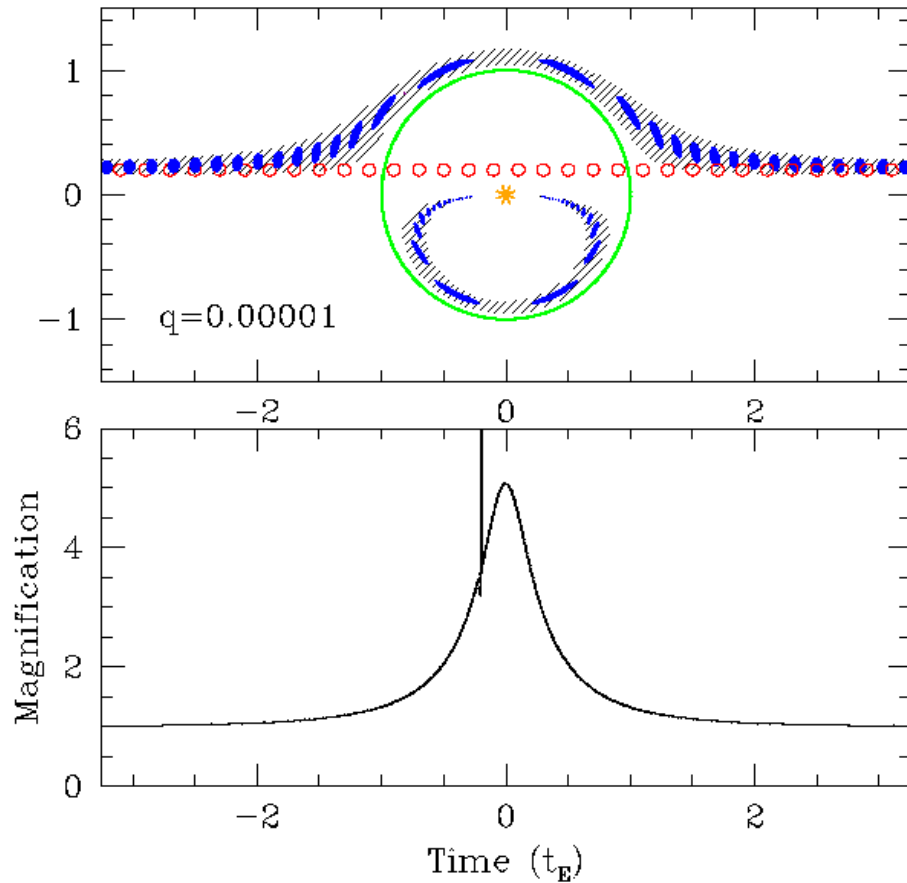
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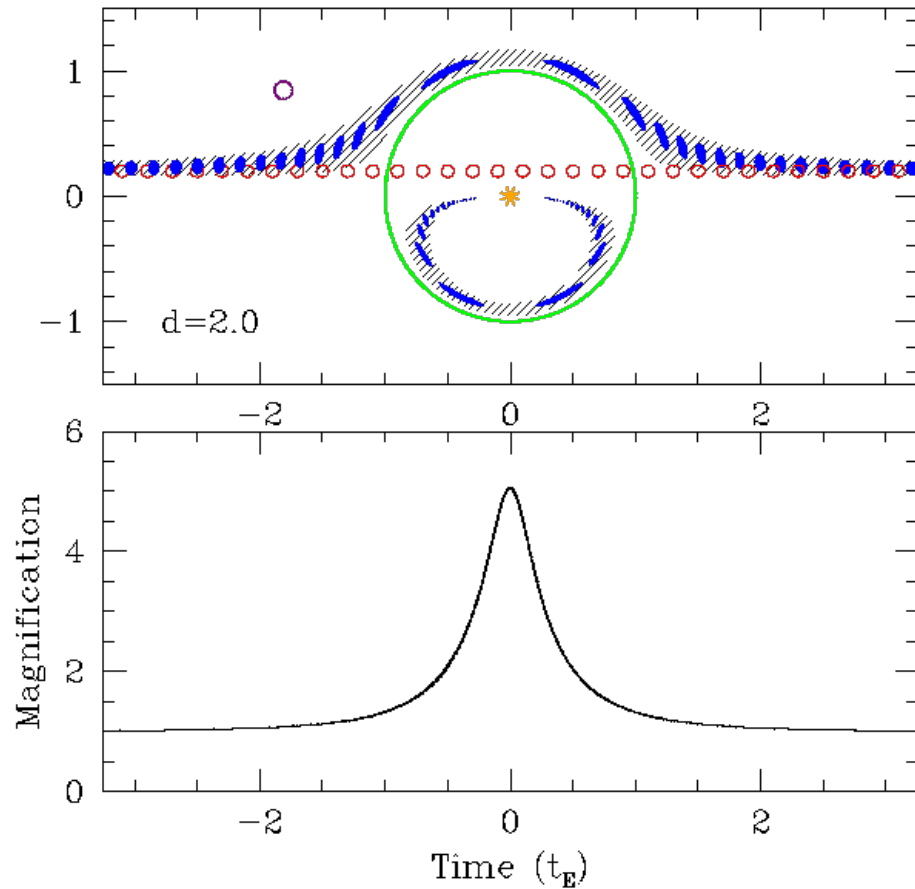
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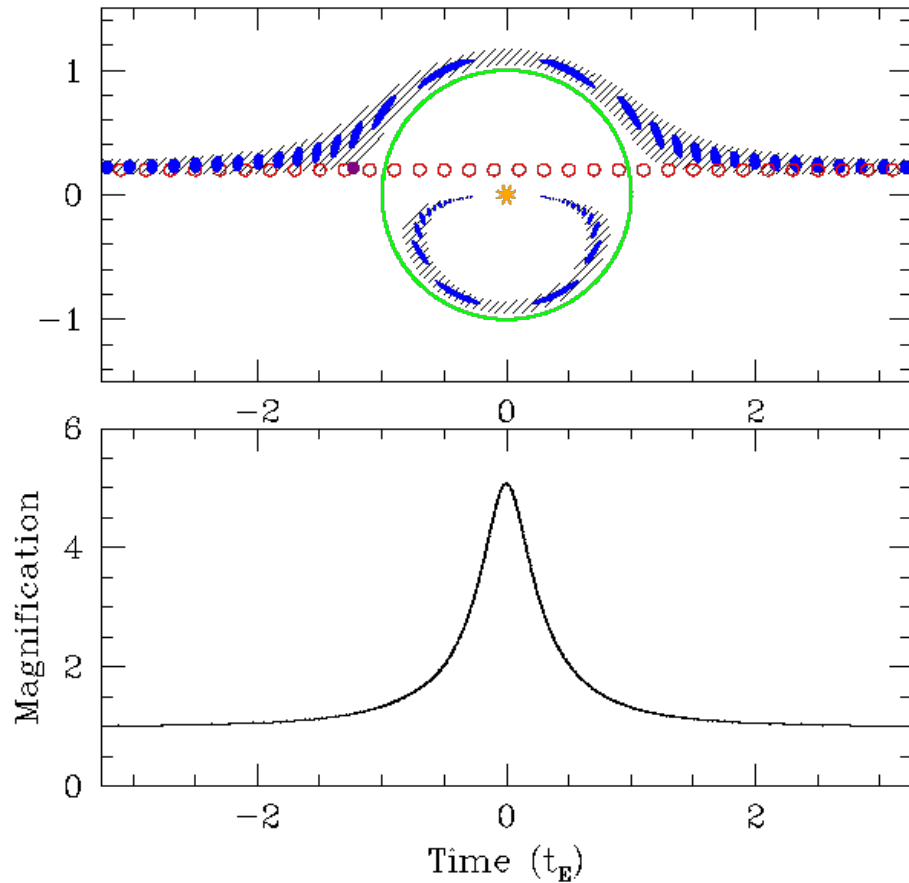
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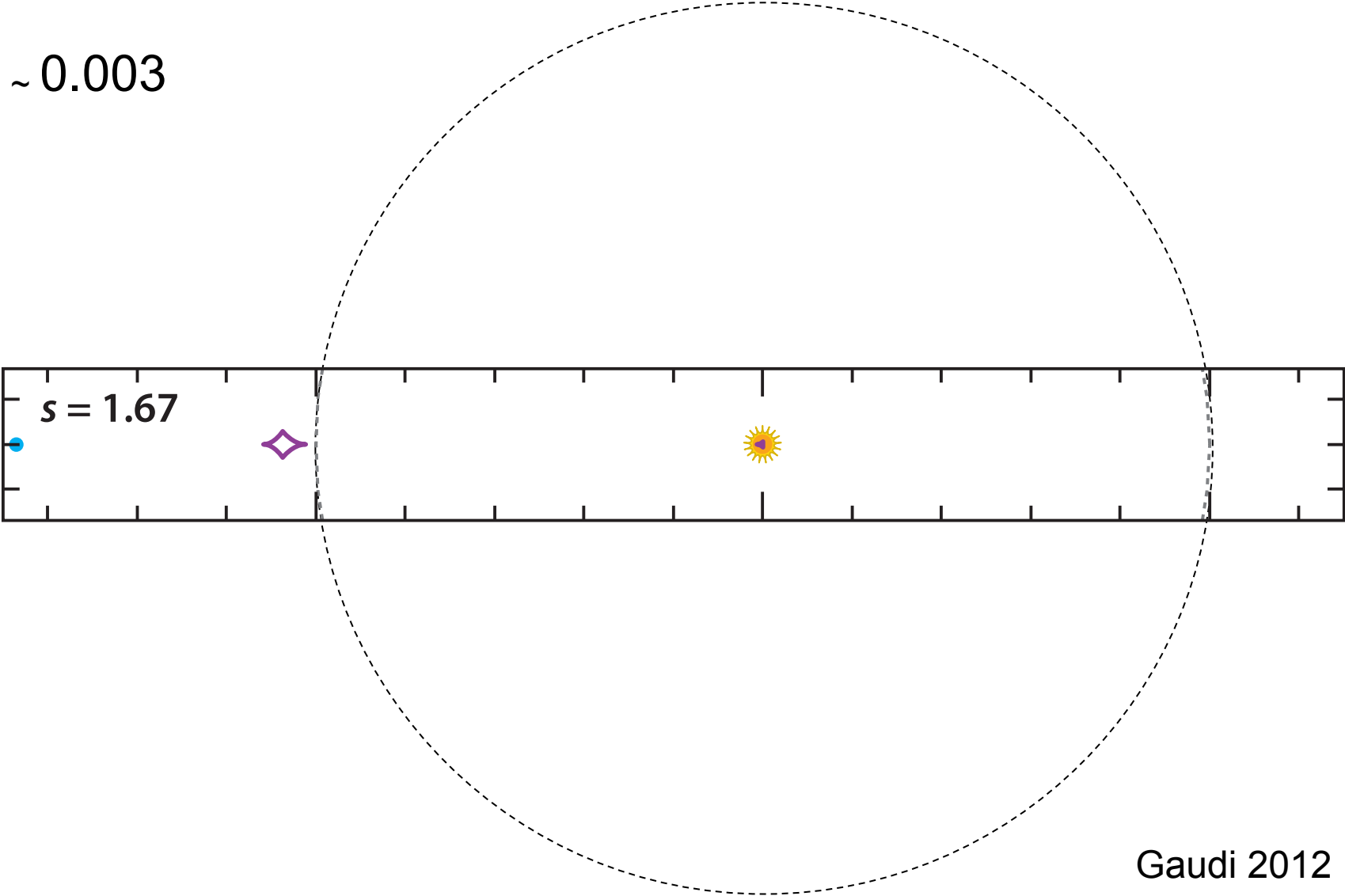
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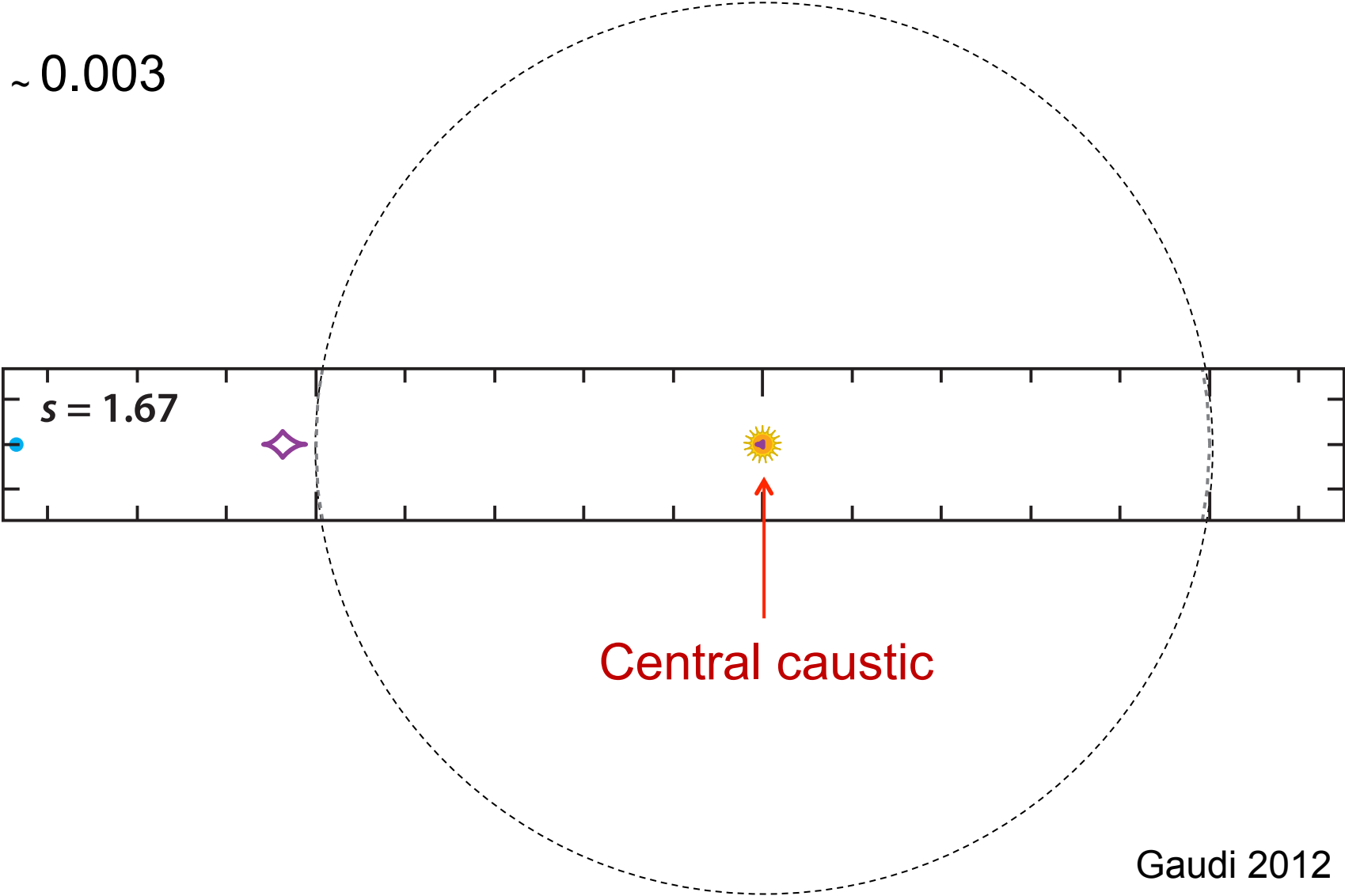
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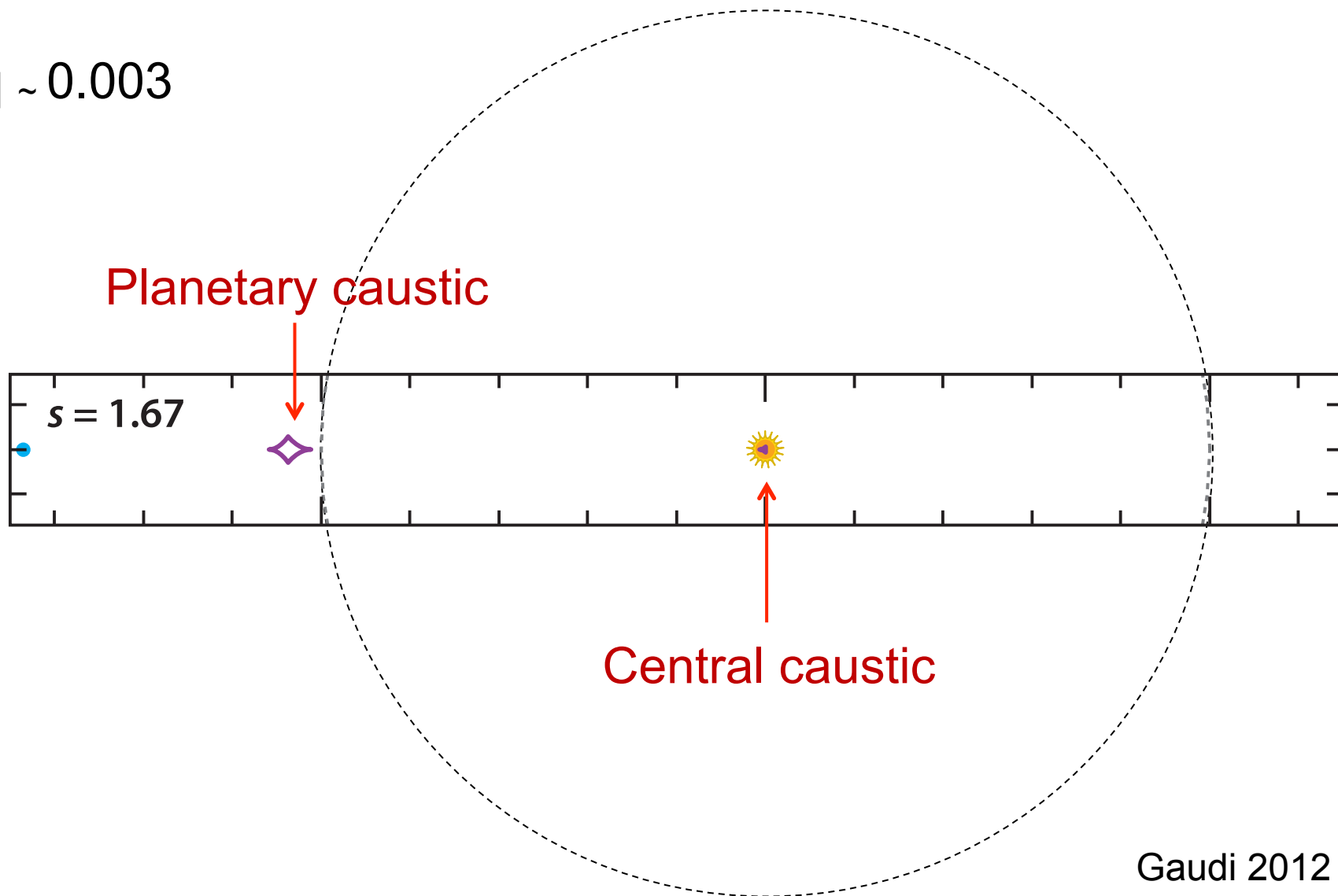
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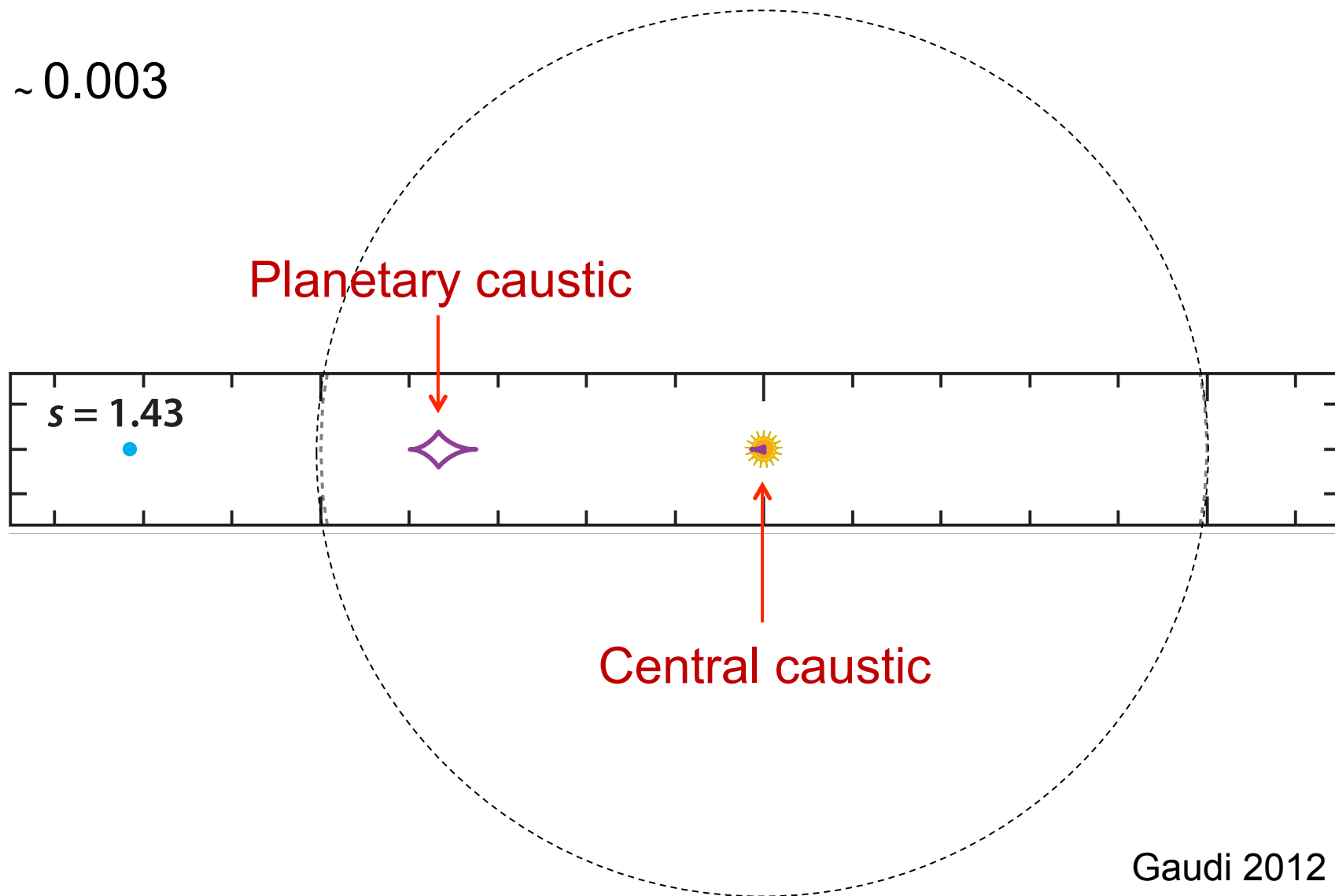


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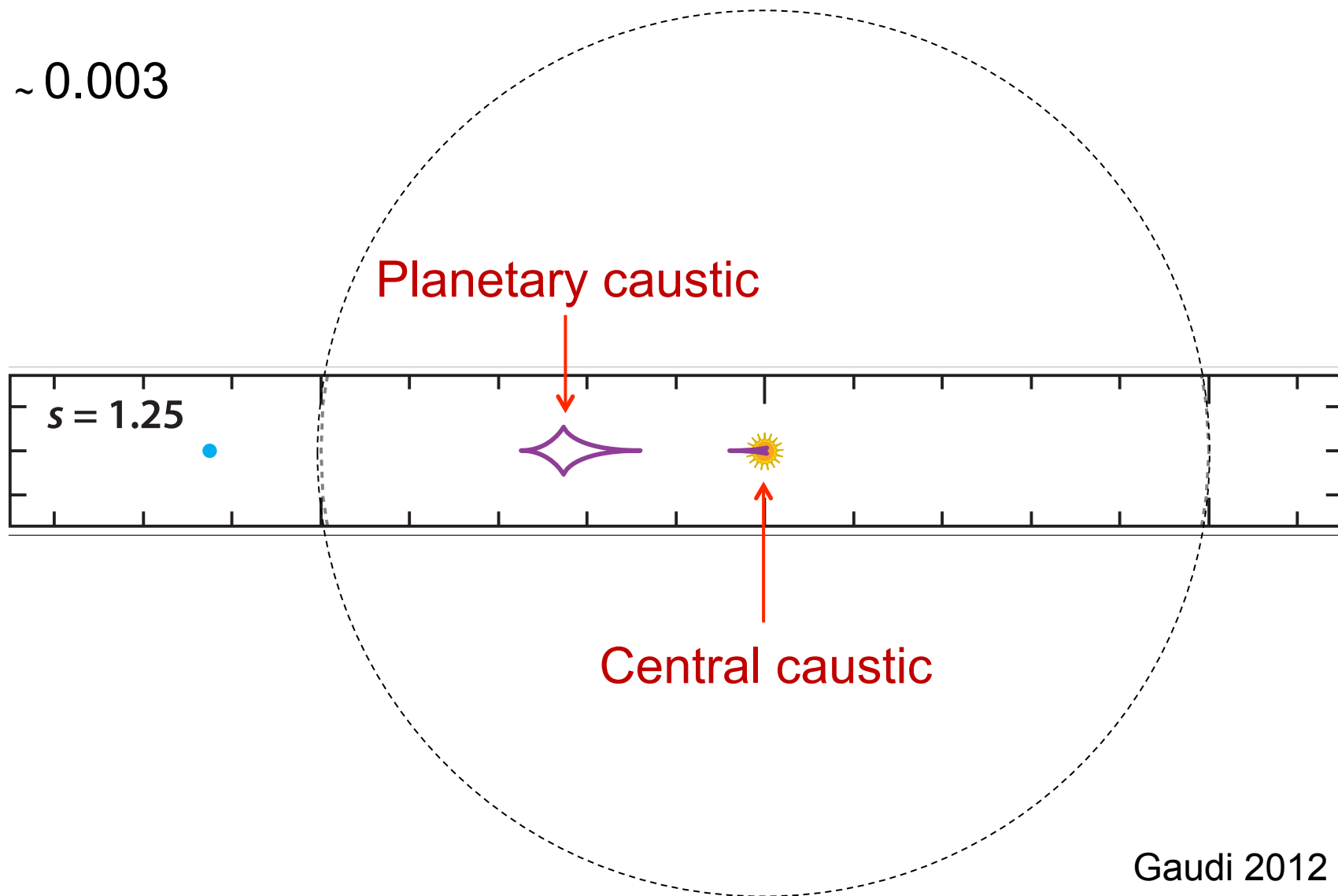
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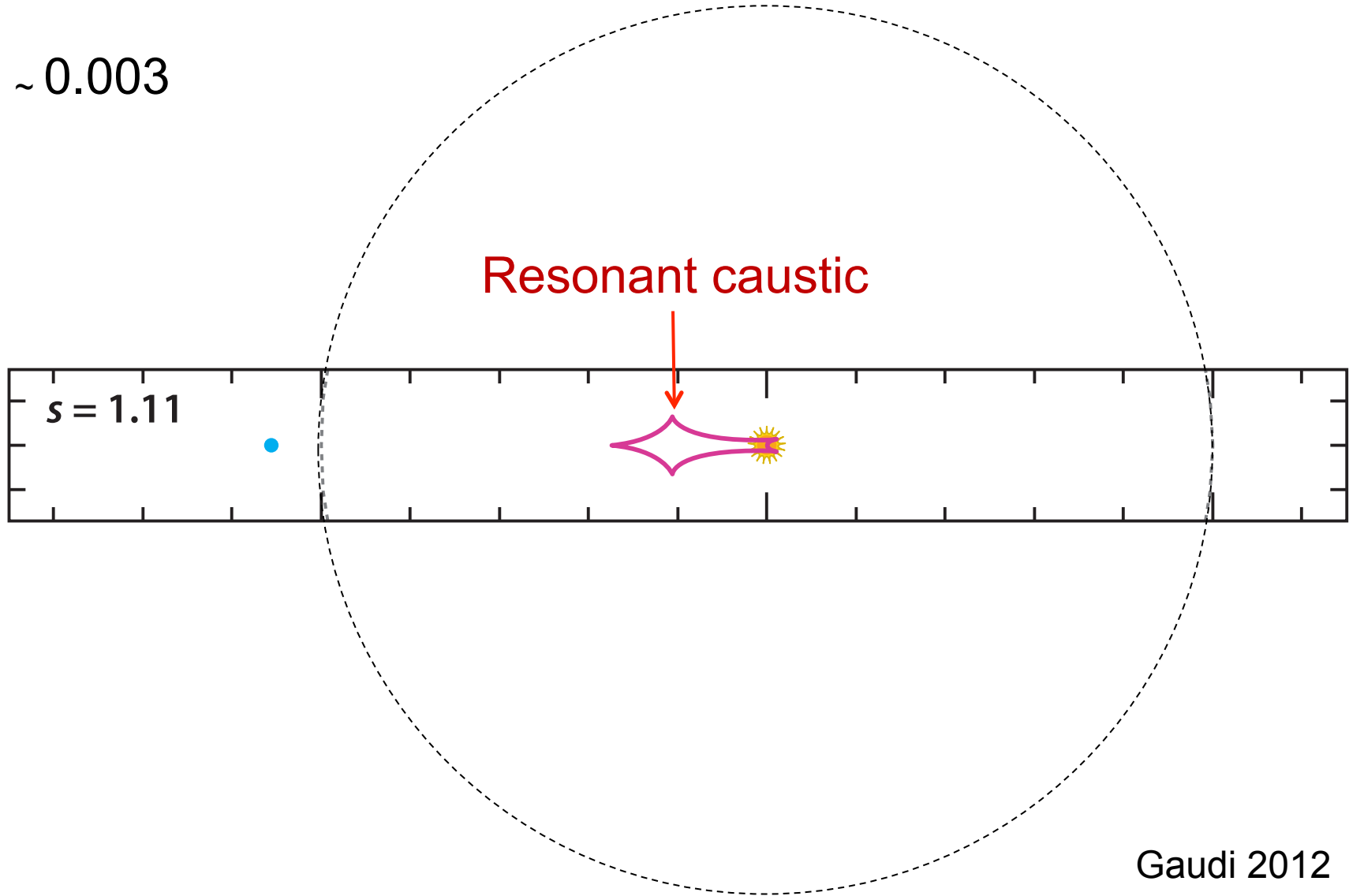
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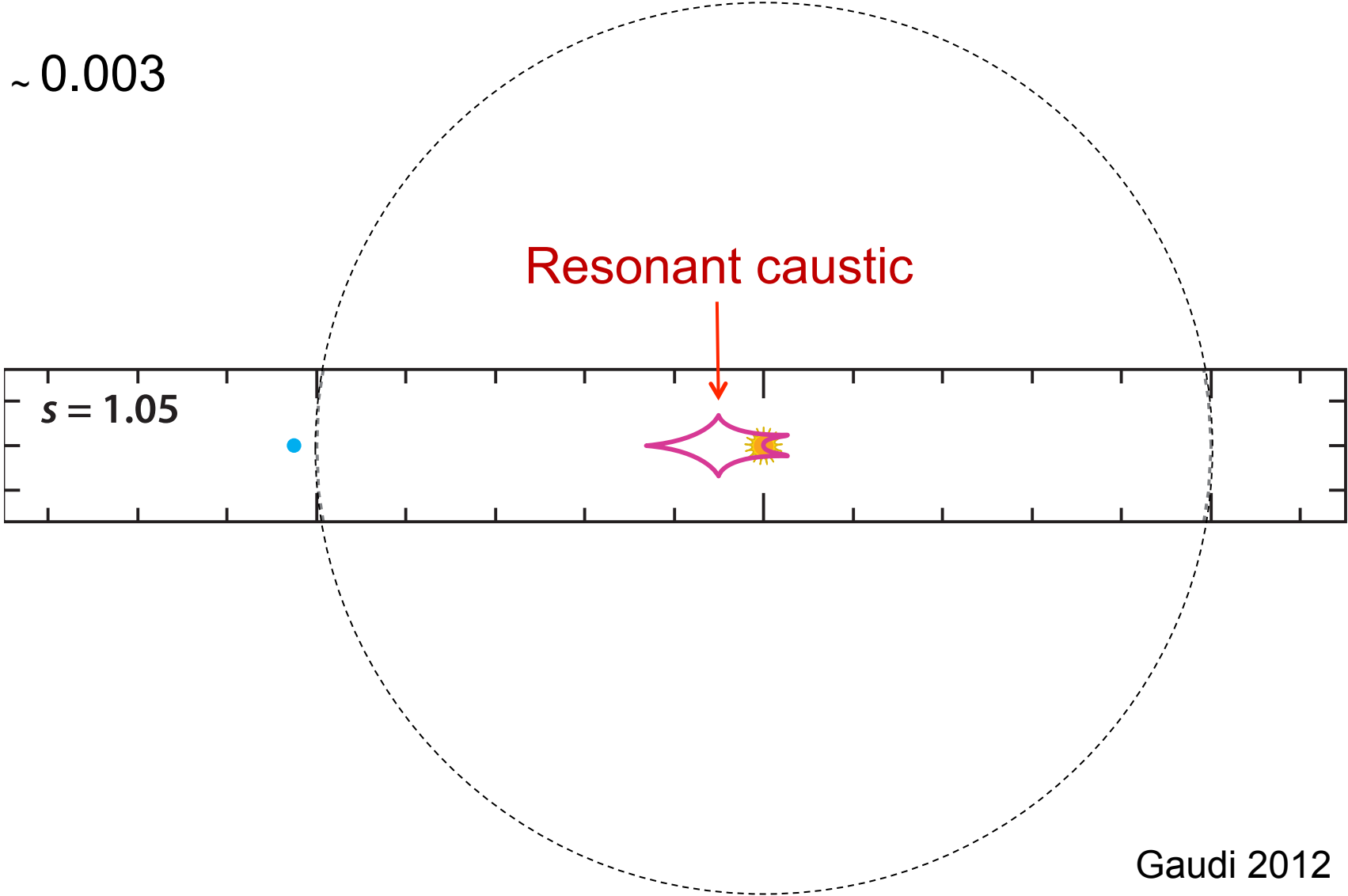
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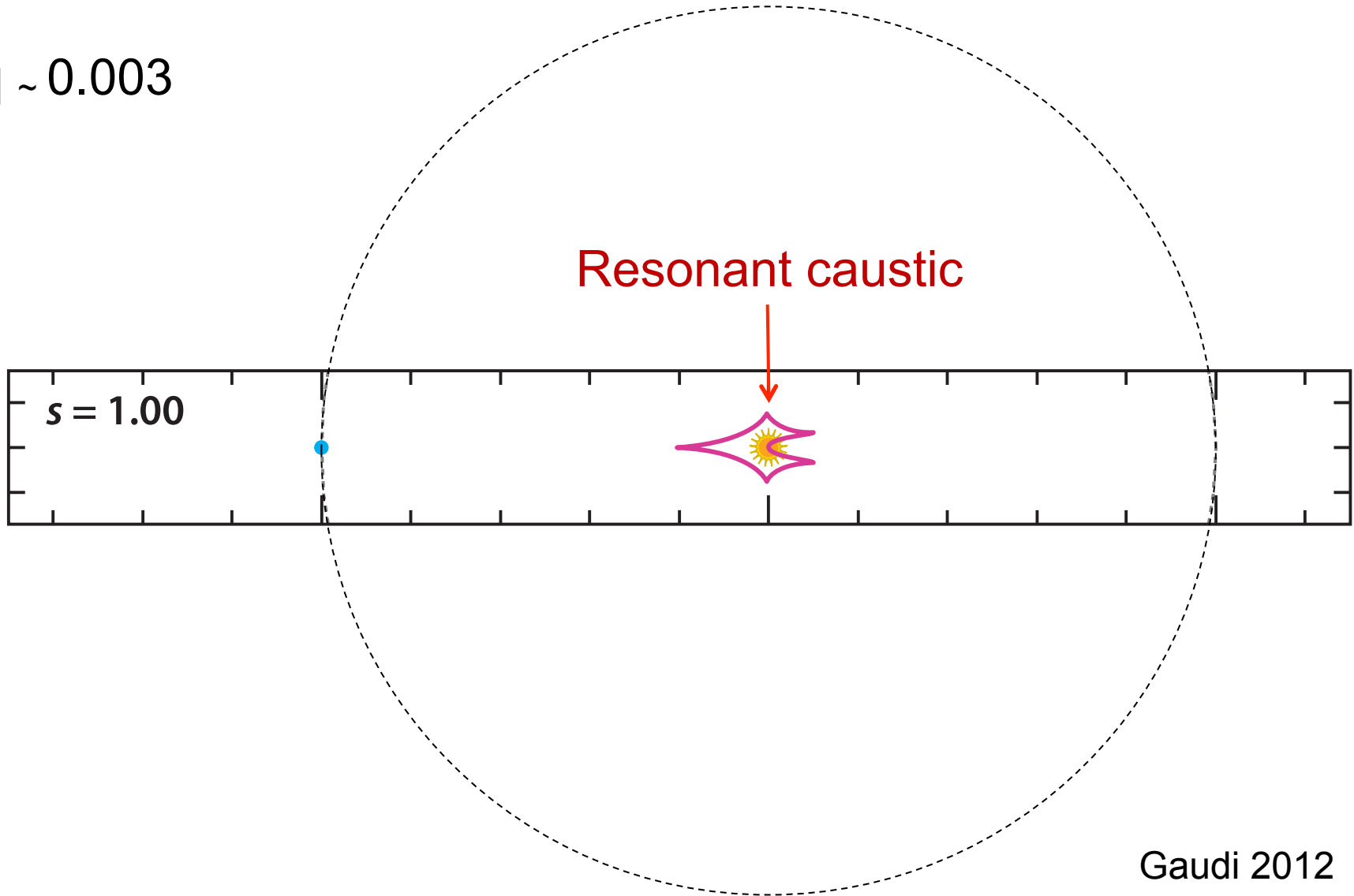
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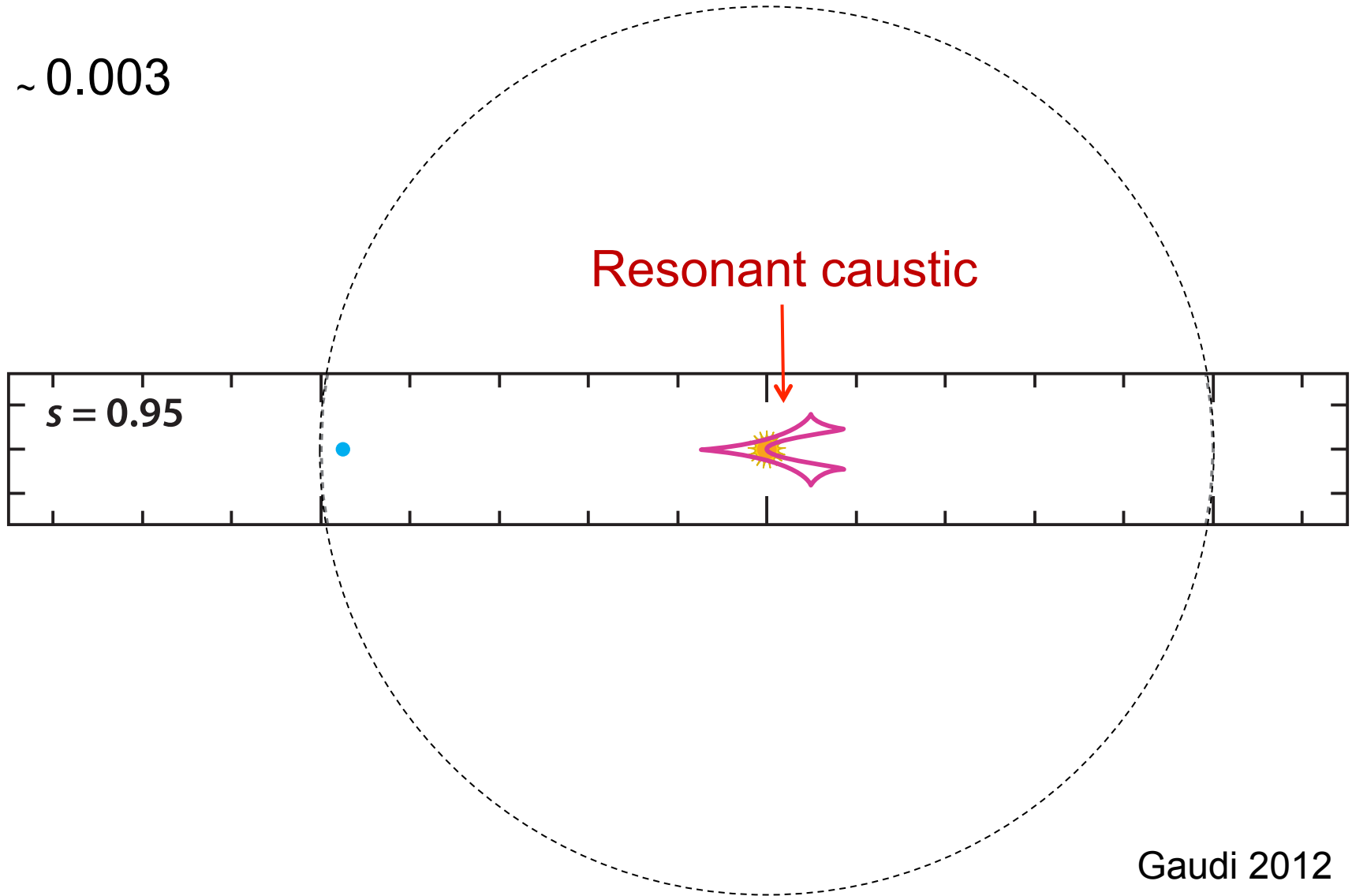
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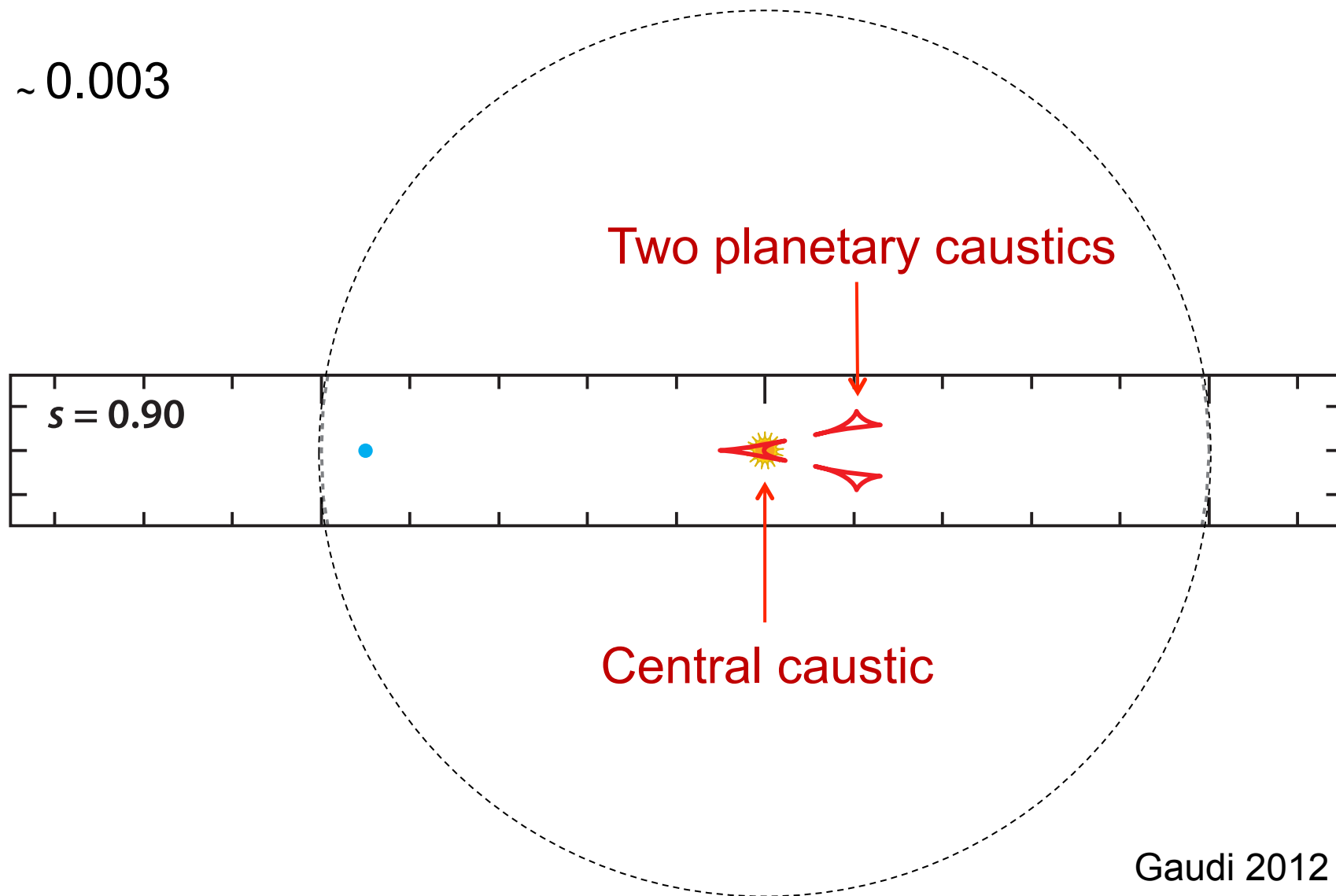
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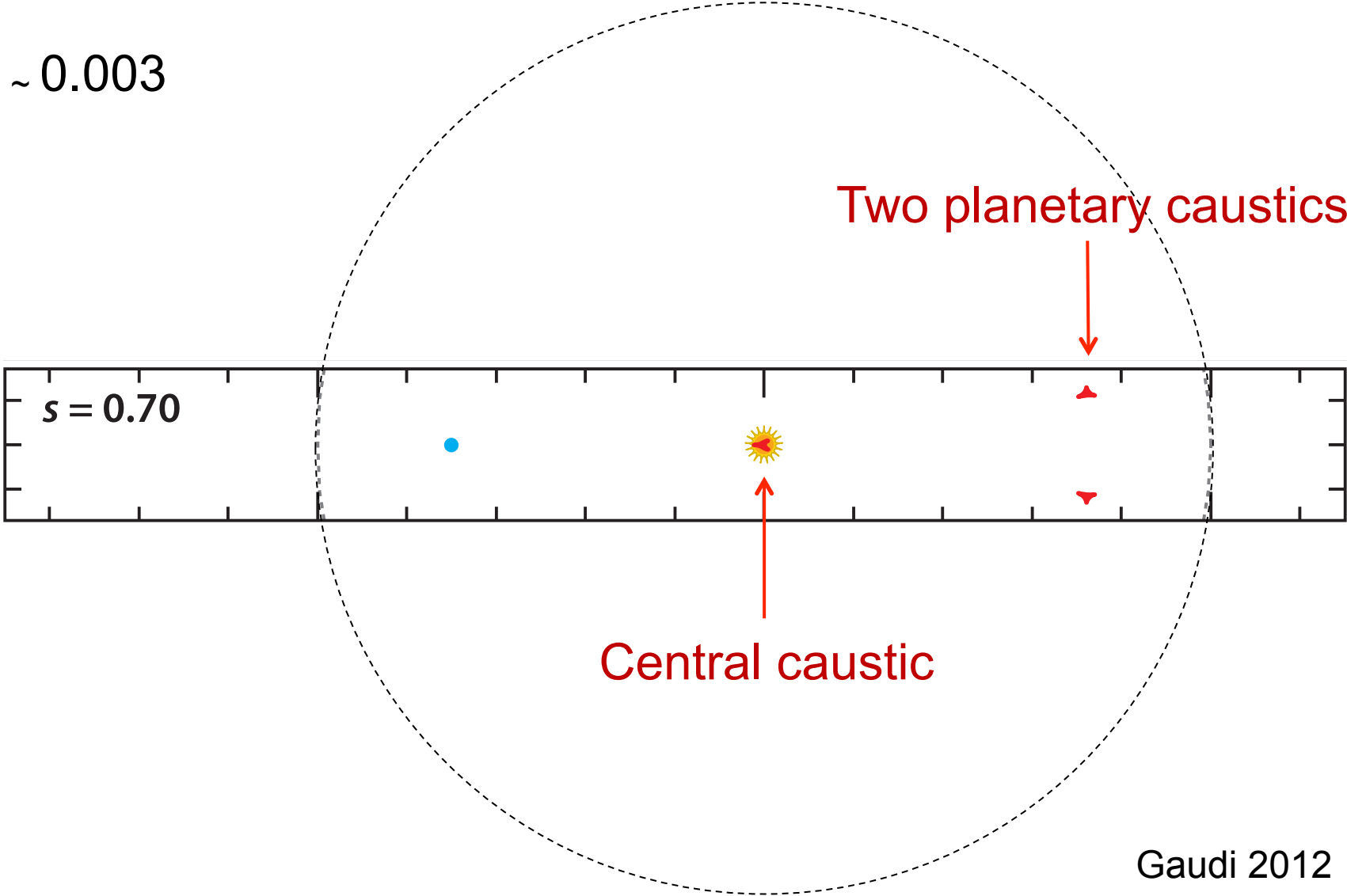
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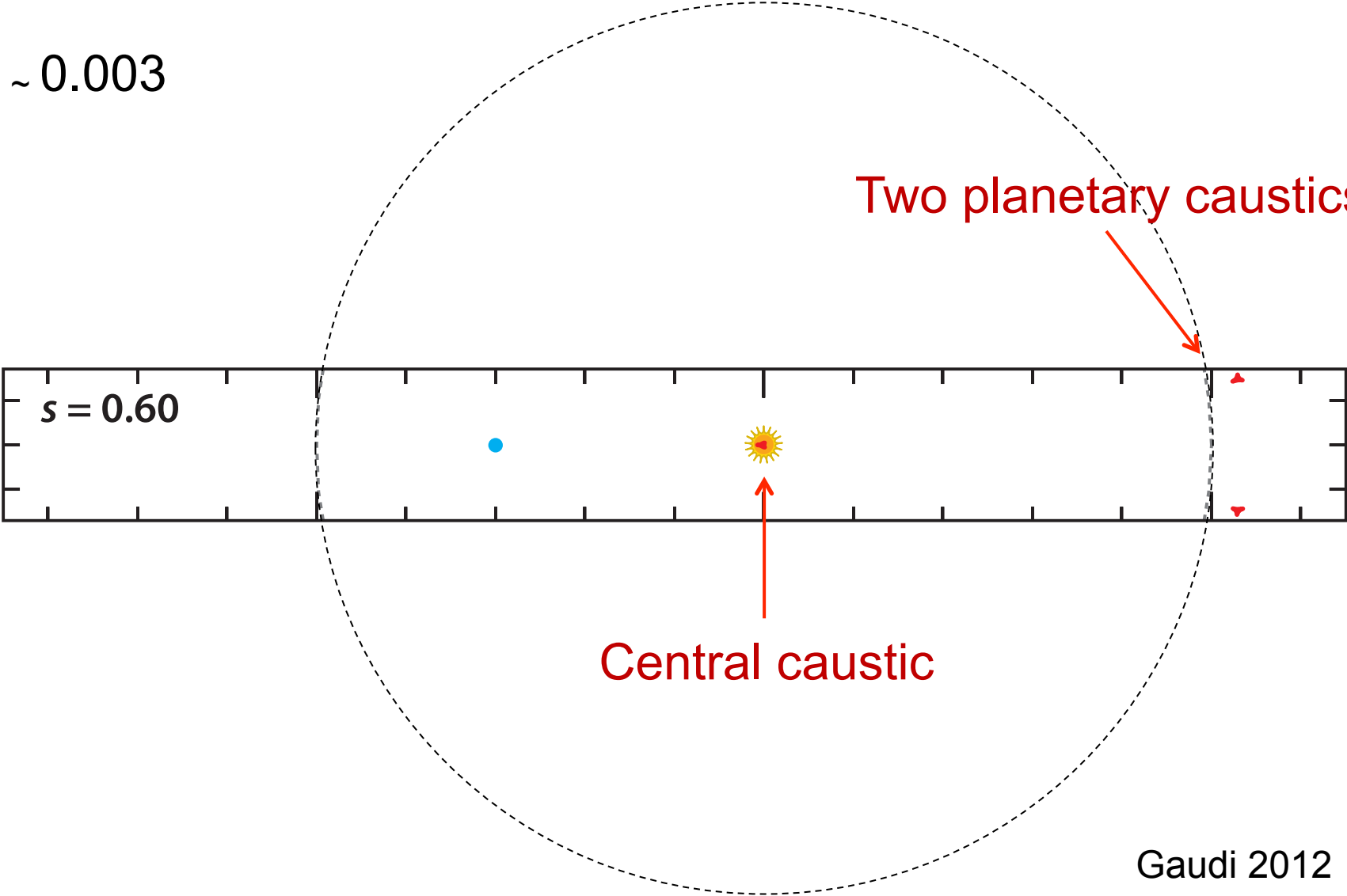


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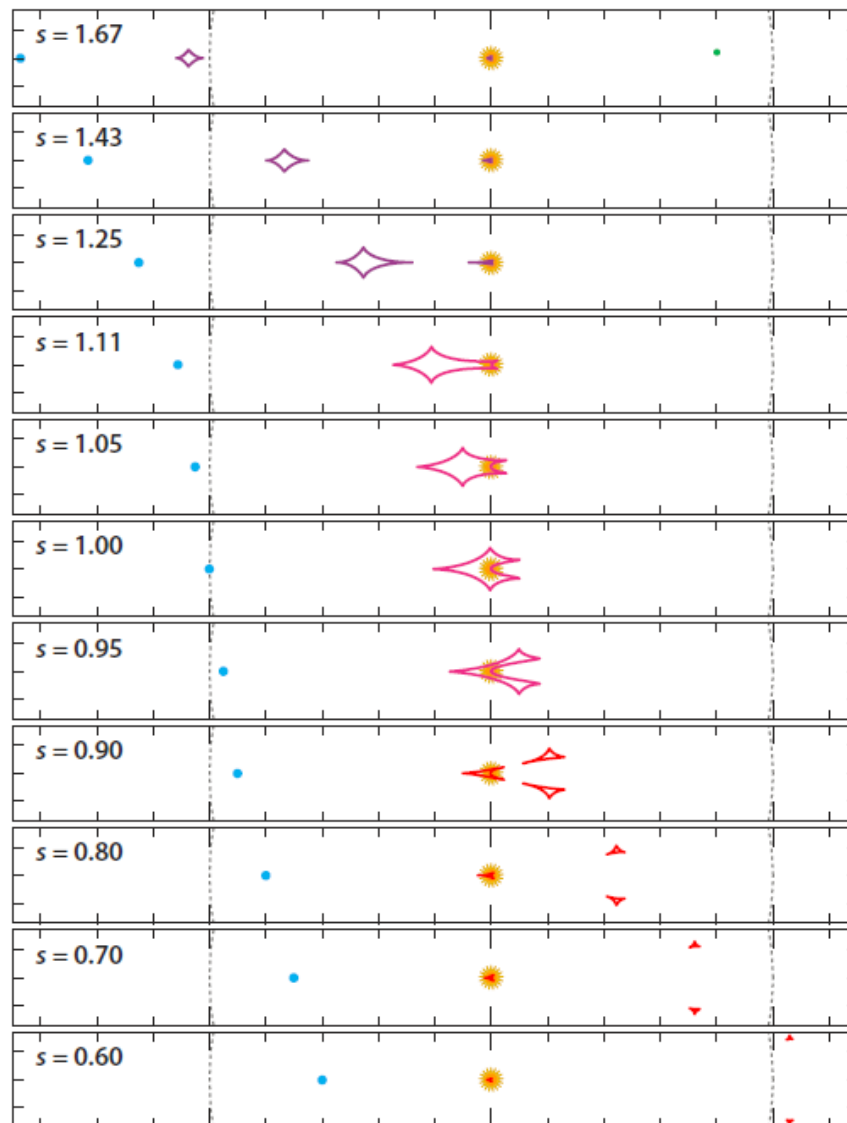
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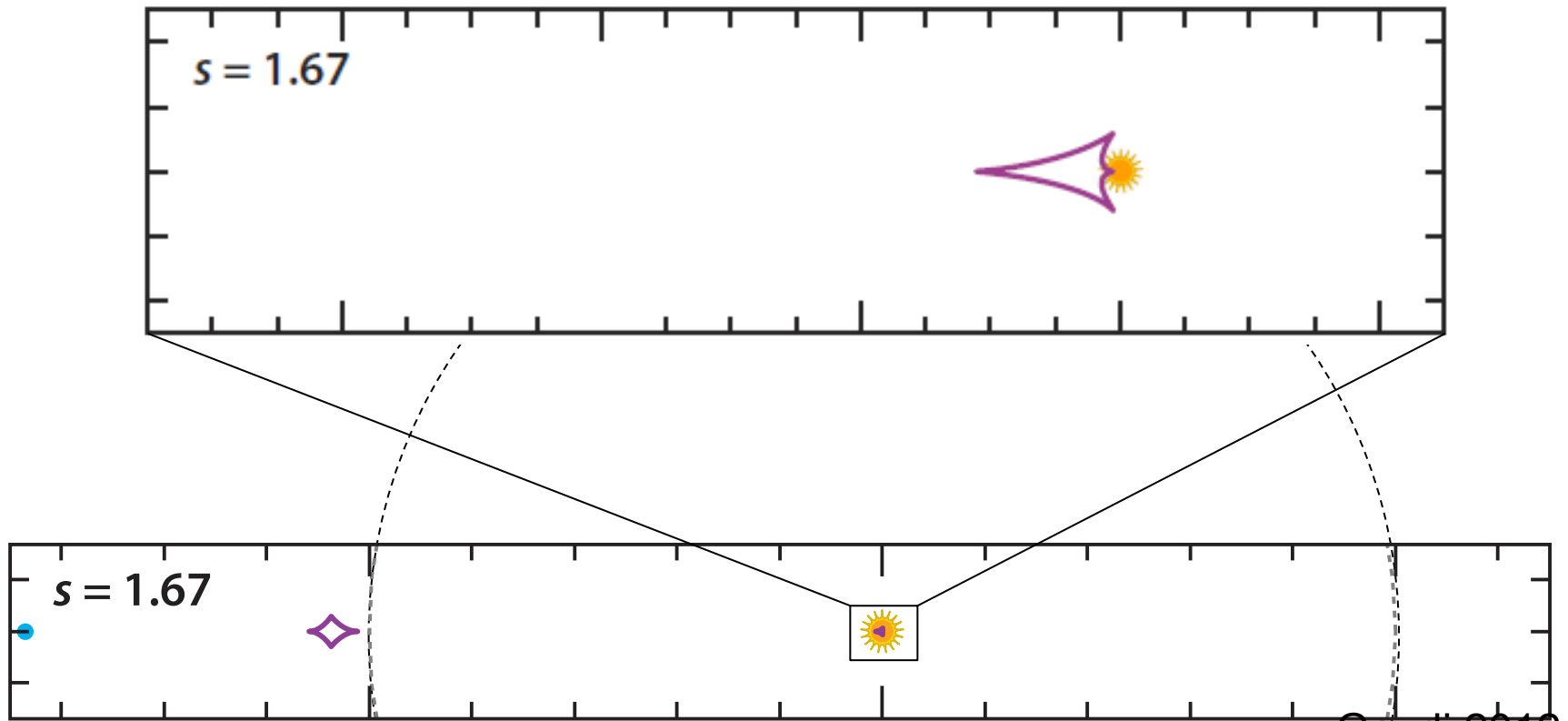
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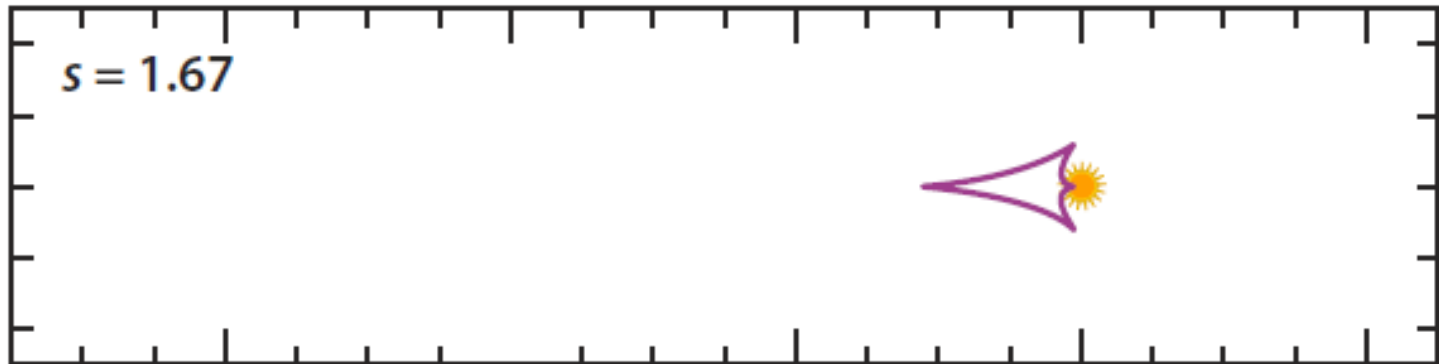
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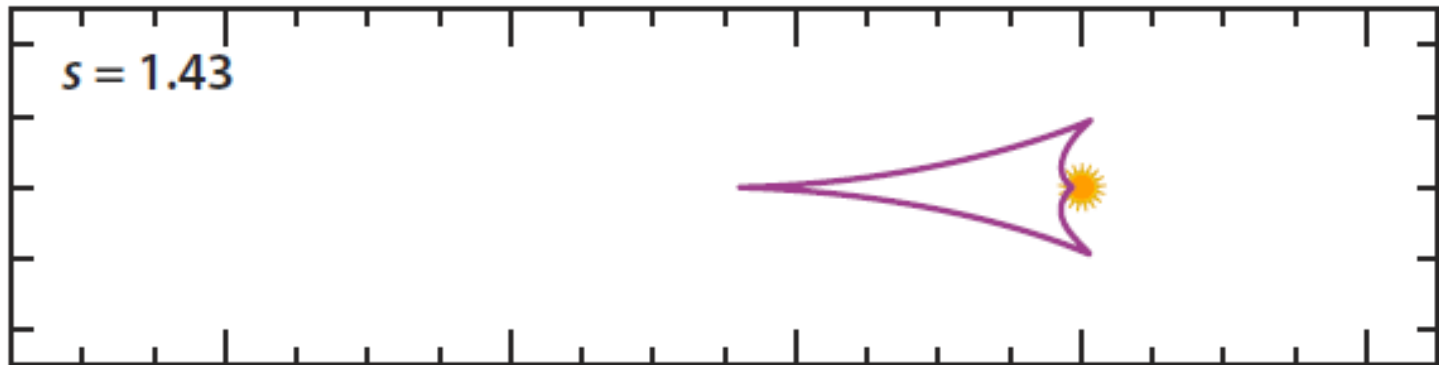
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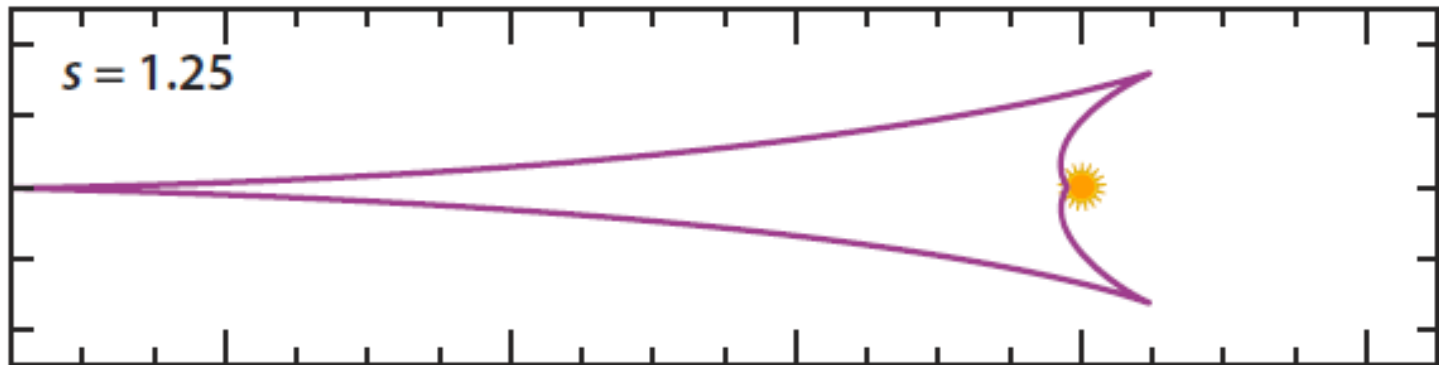
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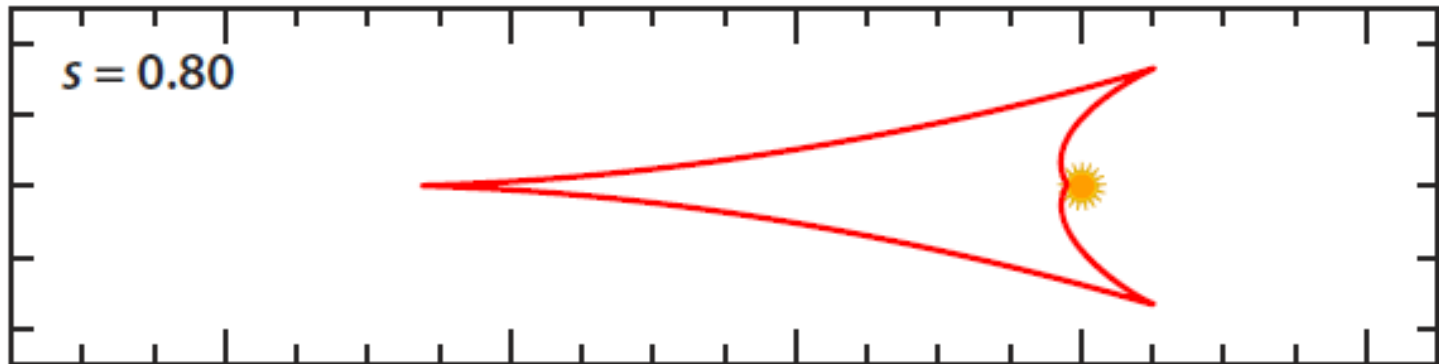
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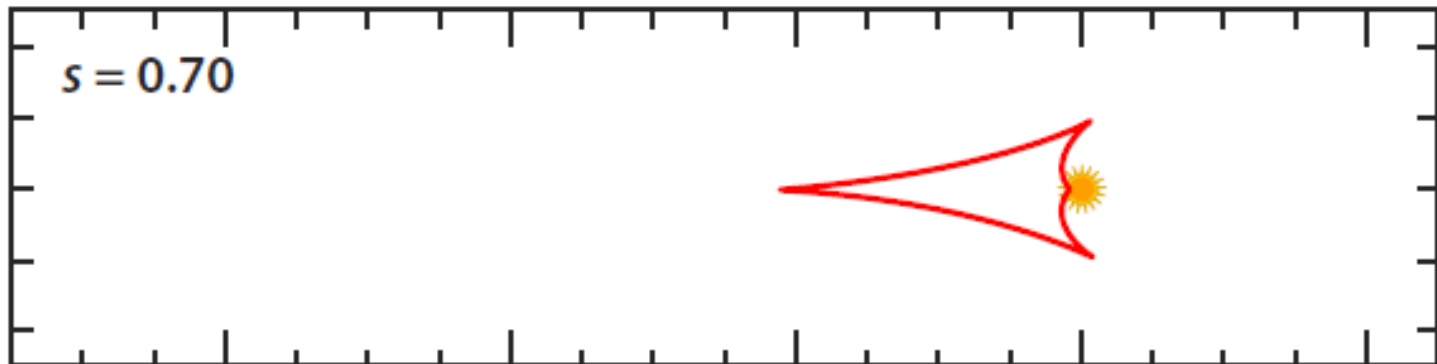
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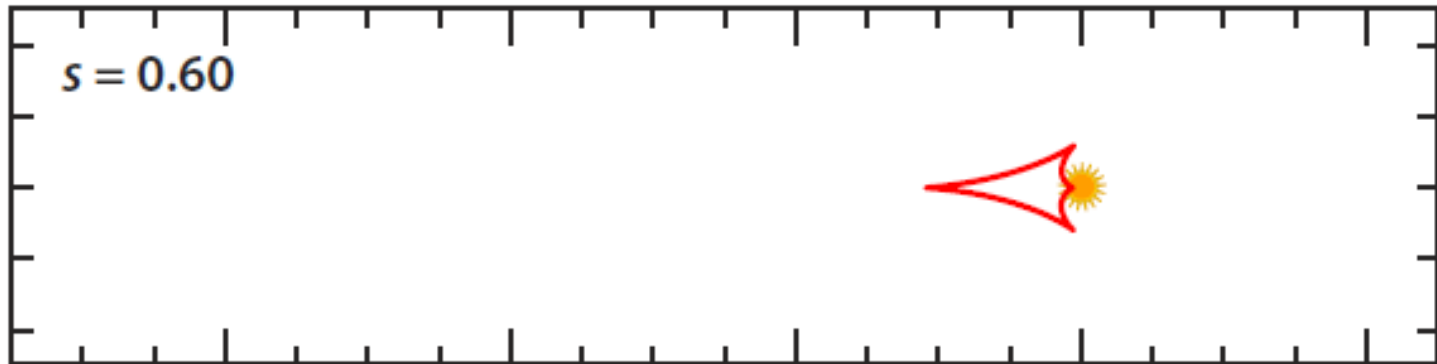


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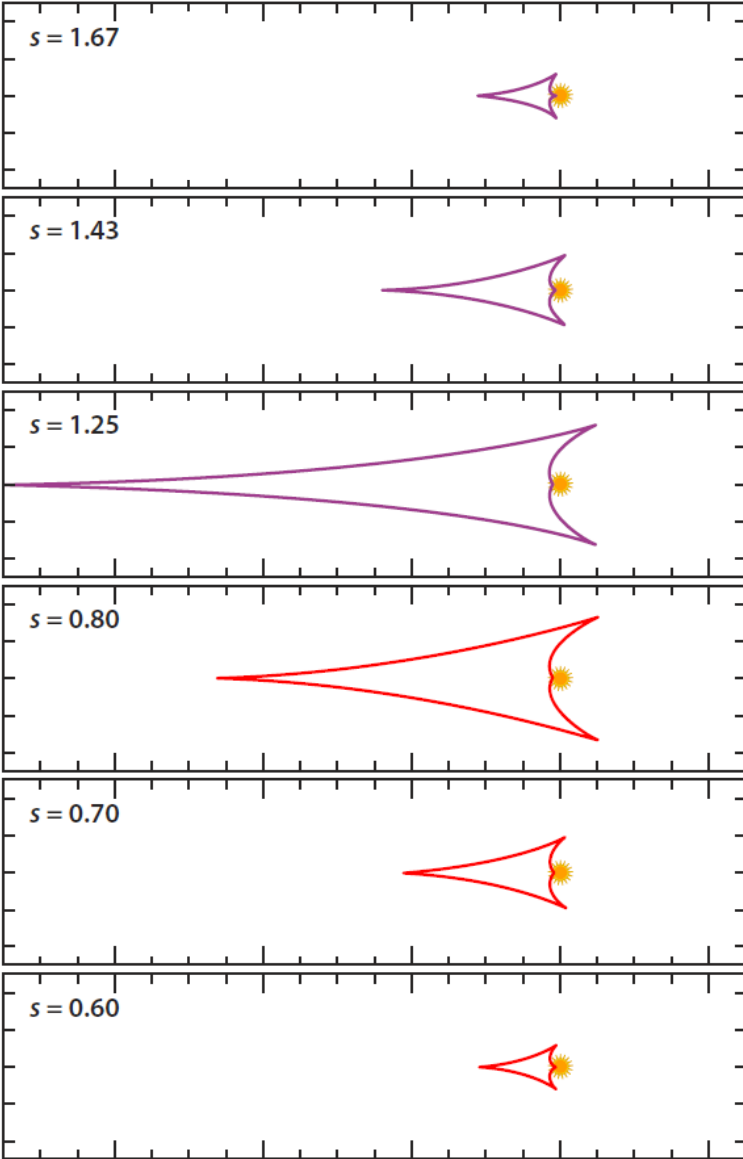
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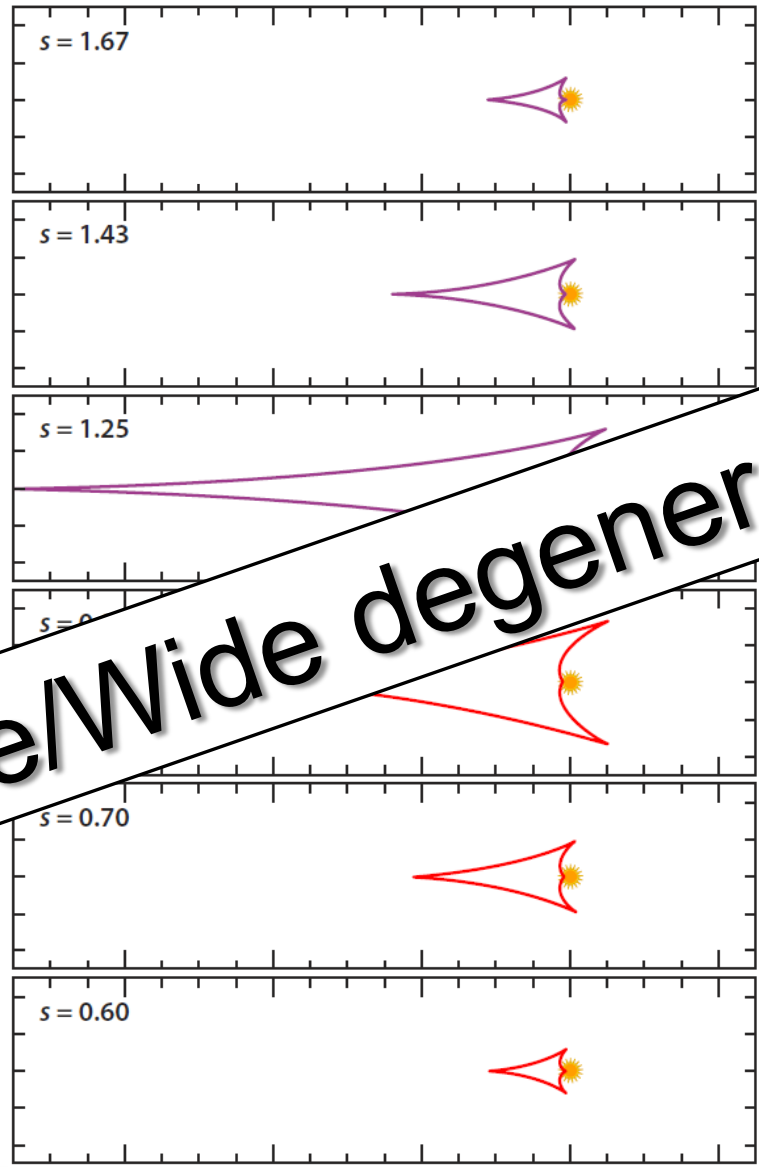
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Close/Wide degeneracy



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# Companion characterization

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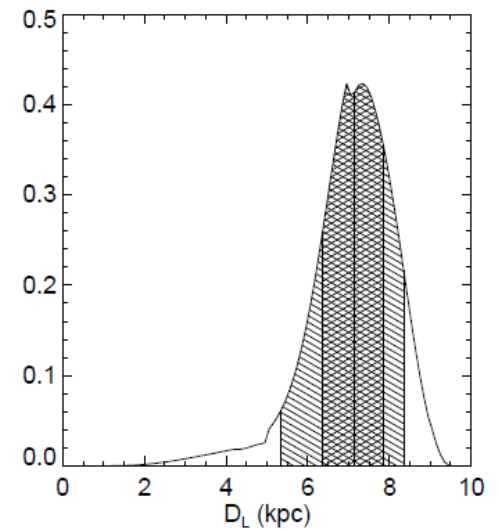
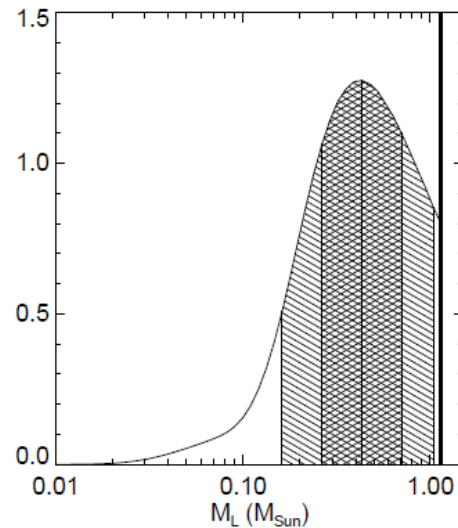
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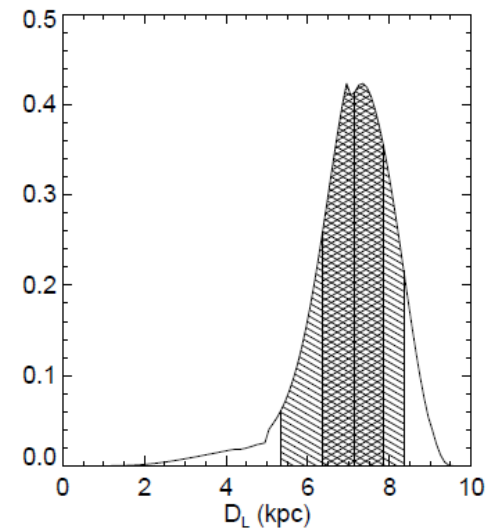
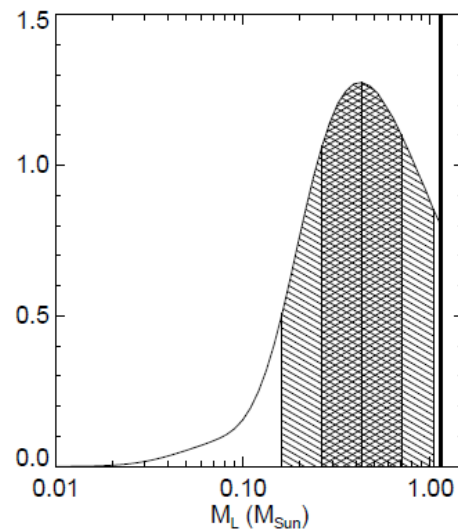
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$t_E=22$  [d],  $q=0.005$ ,  $s=0.55/1.83$

$\Rightarrow M_L=0.43 M_{\text{Sun}}$ ,  $D=7.1$  kpc

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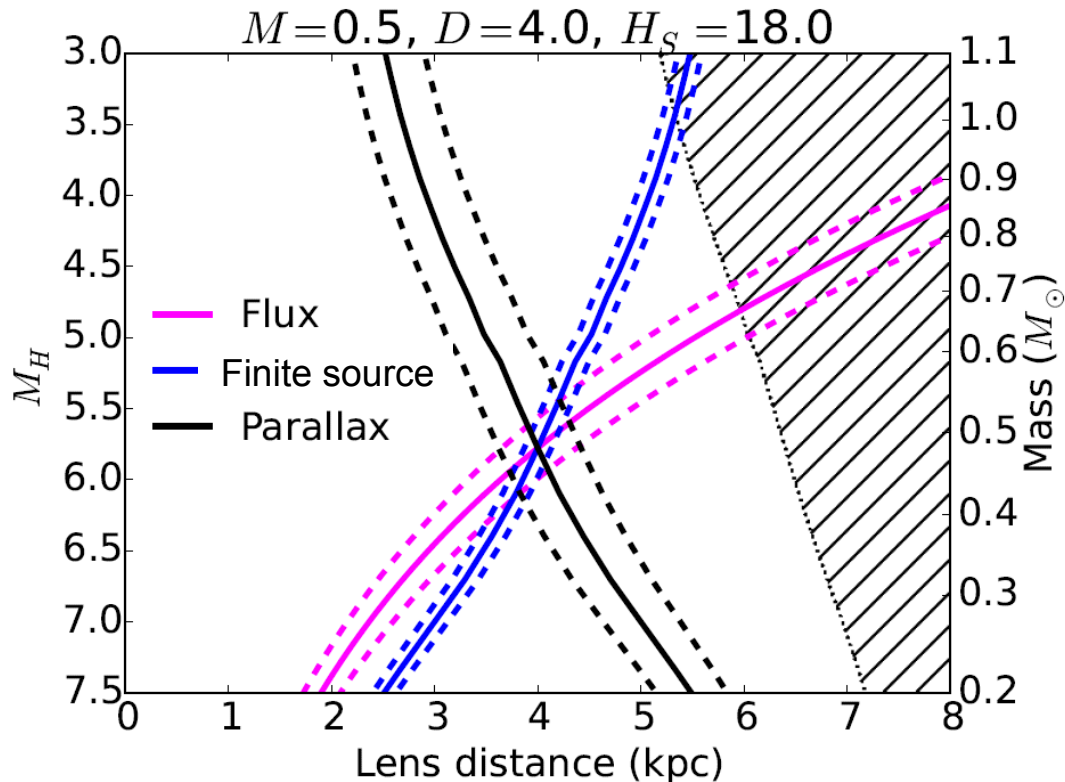
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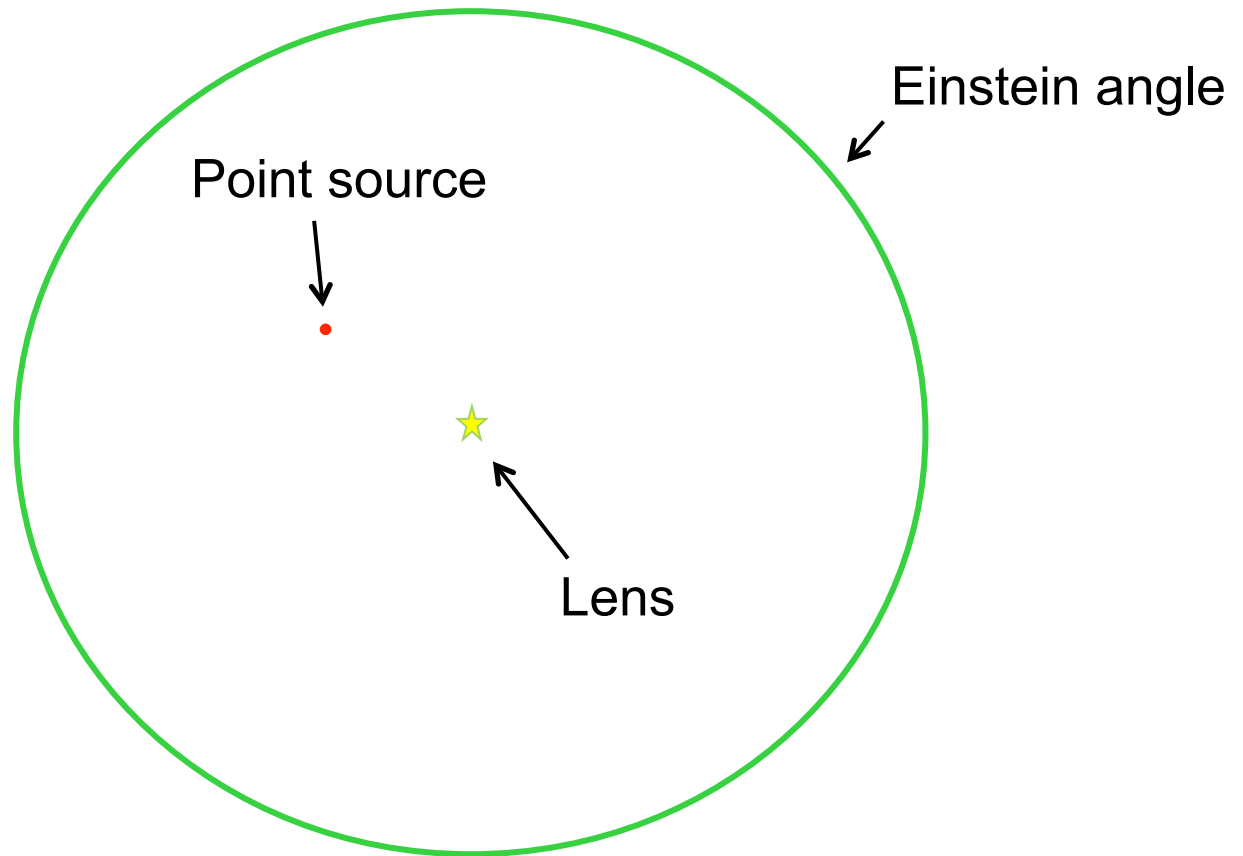


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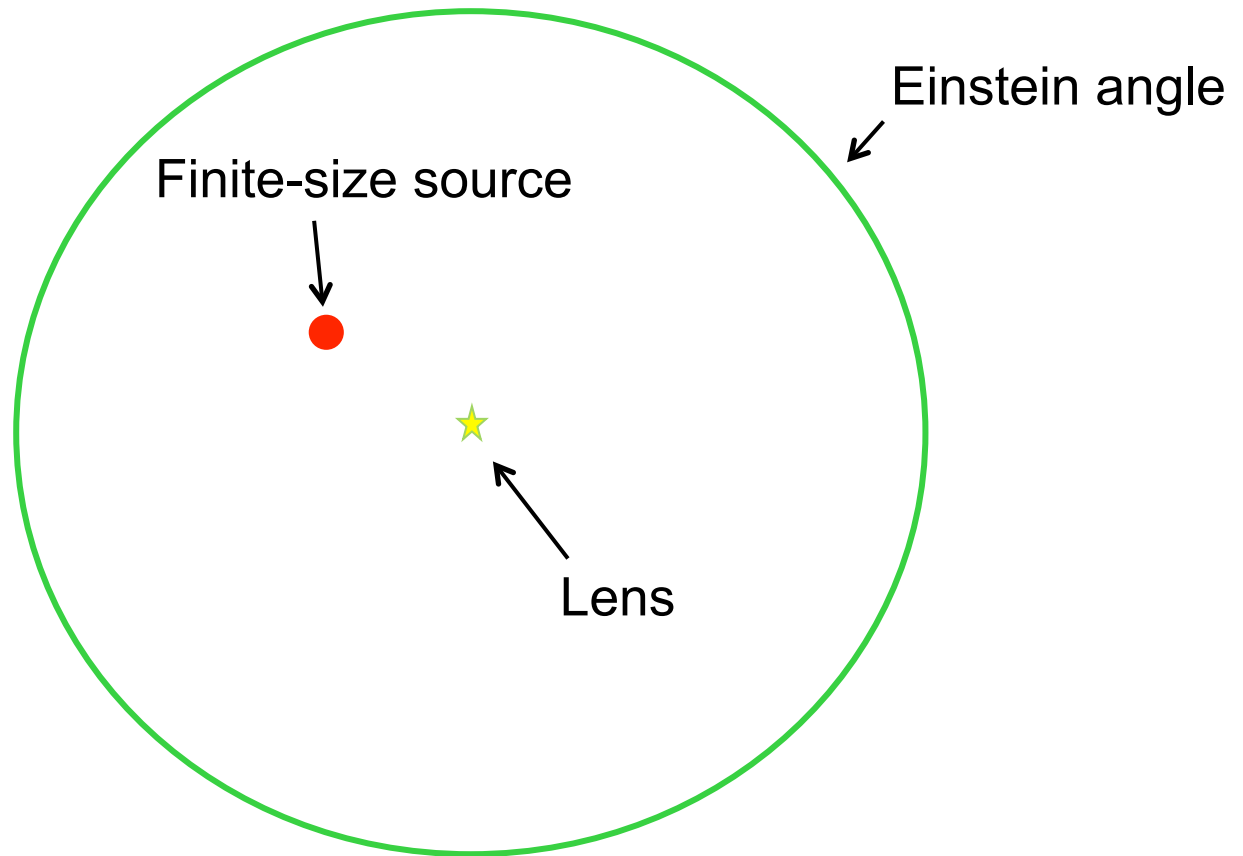
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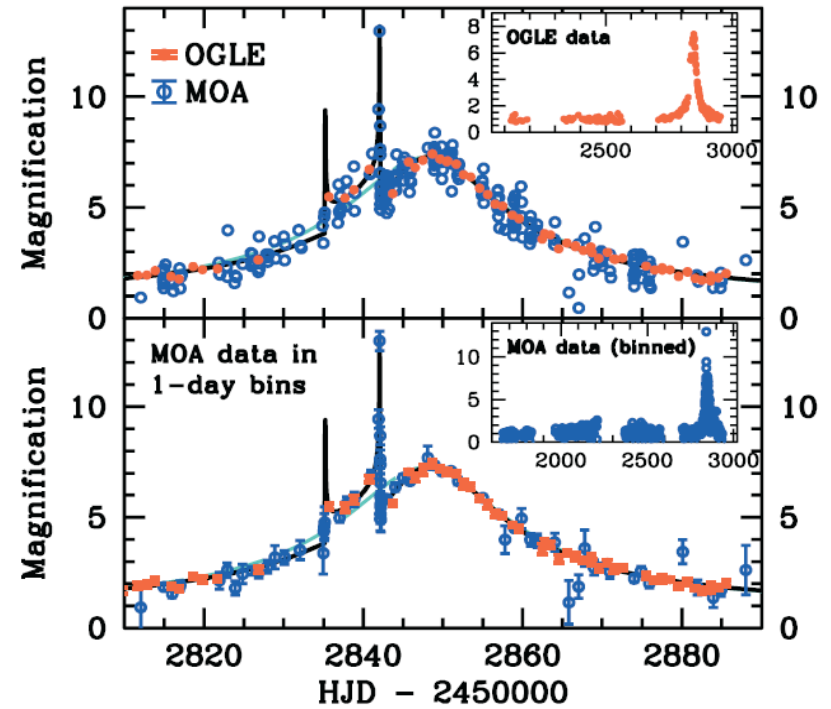
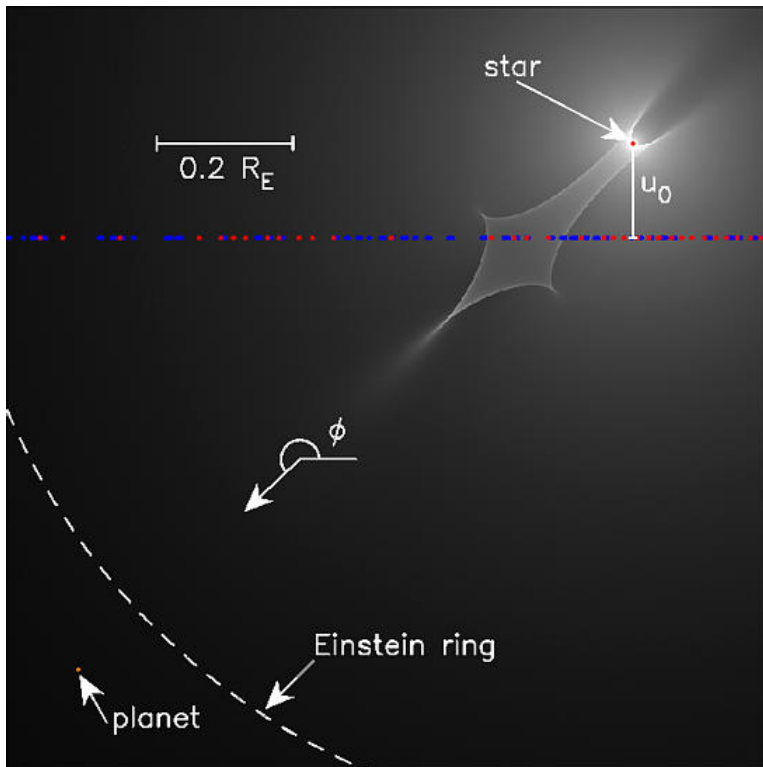
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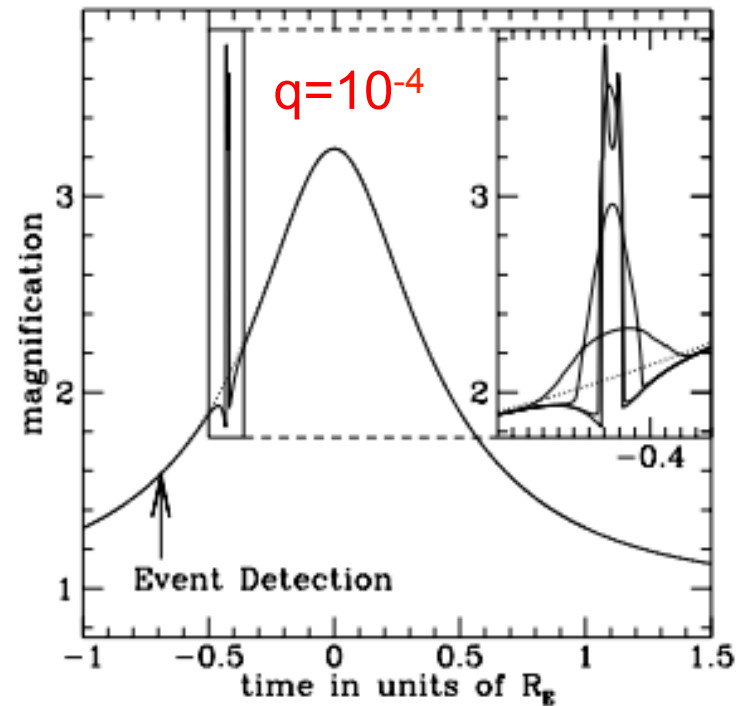
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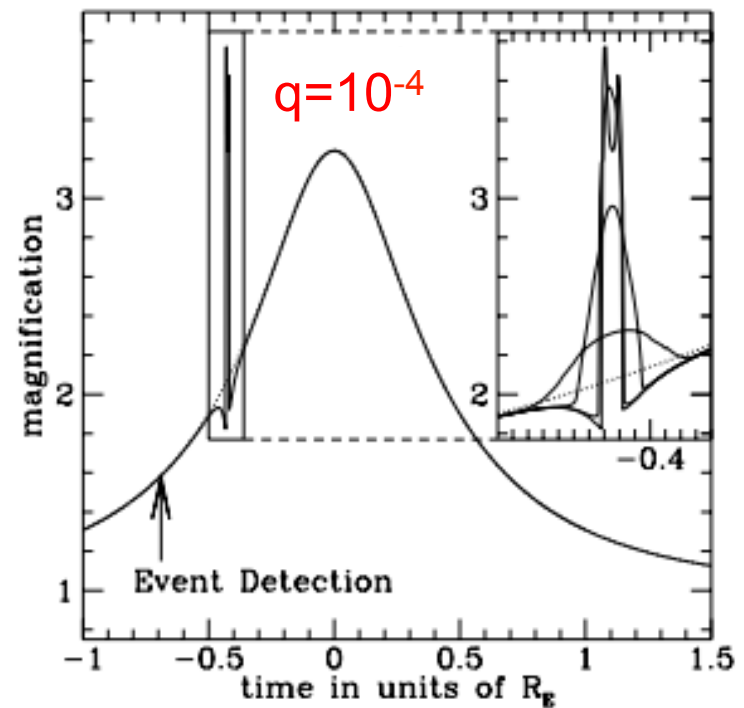
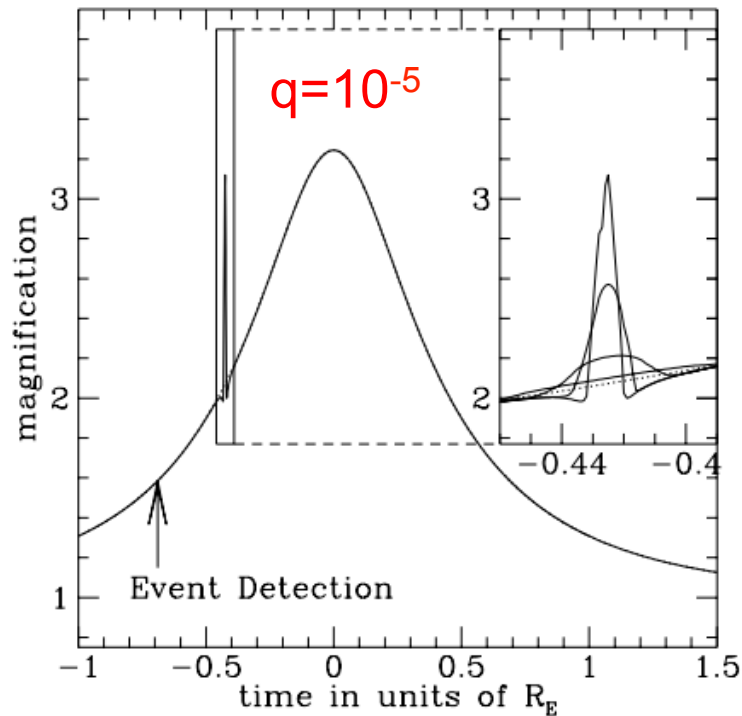
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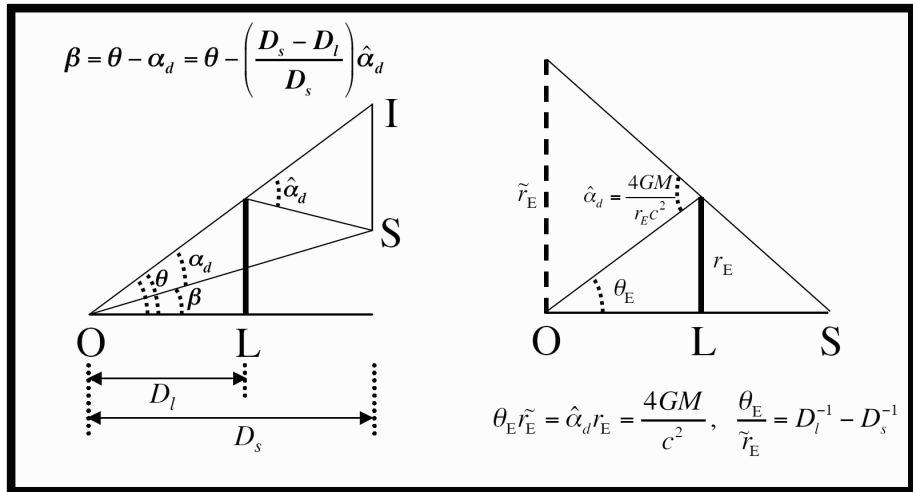


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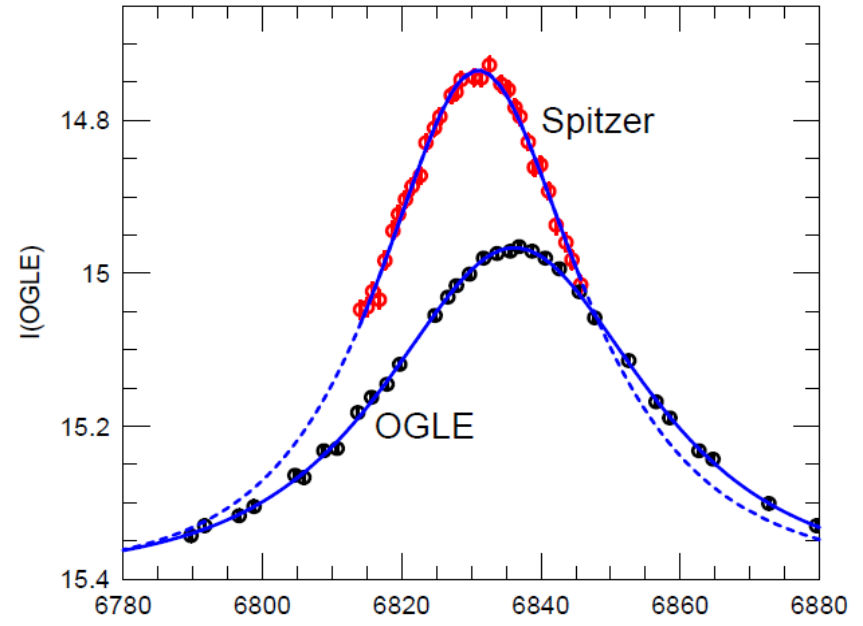
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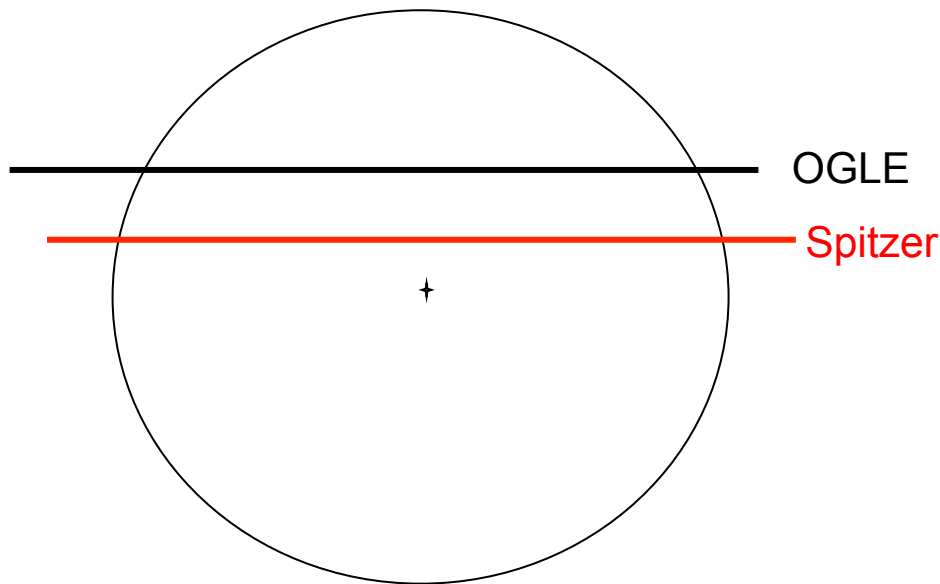
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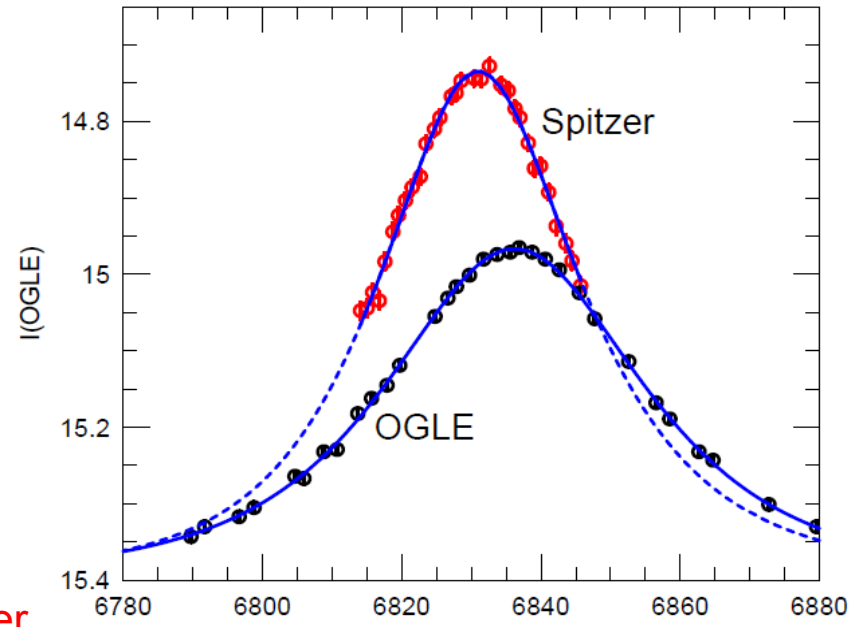
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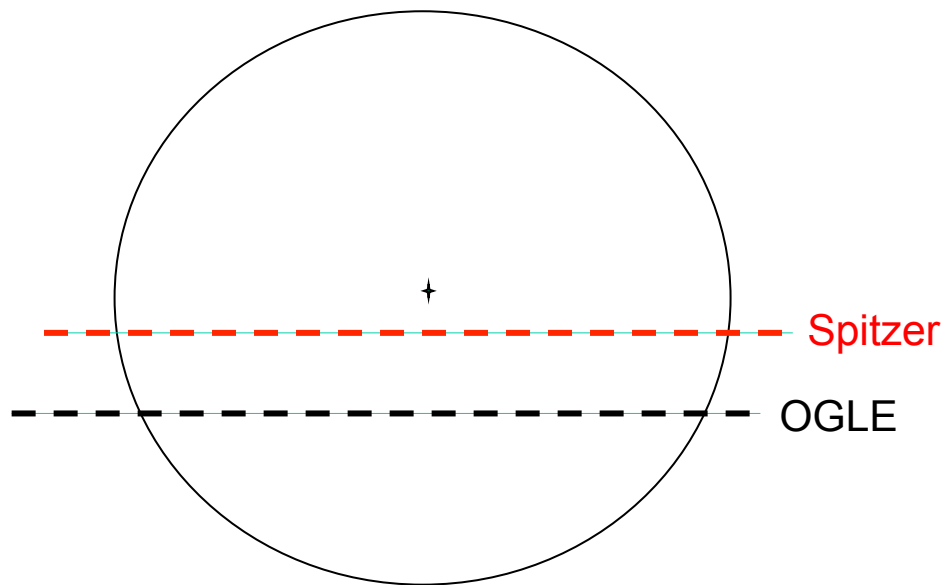
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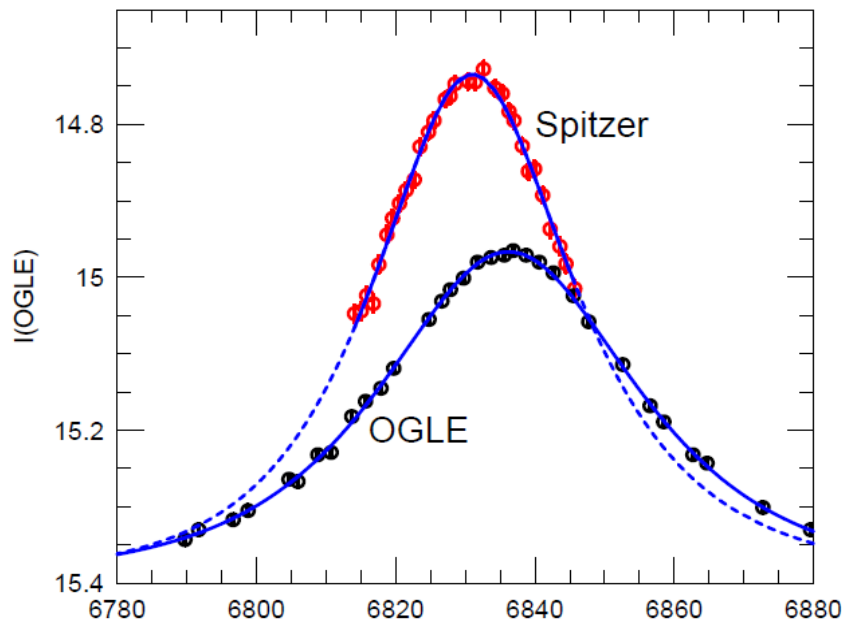
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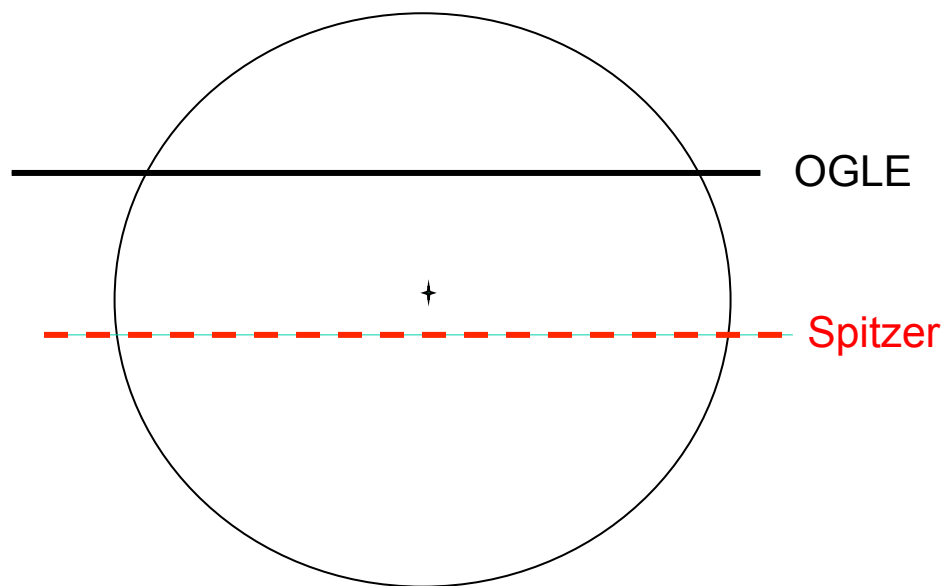


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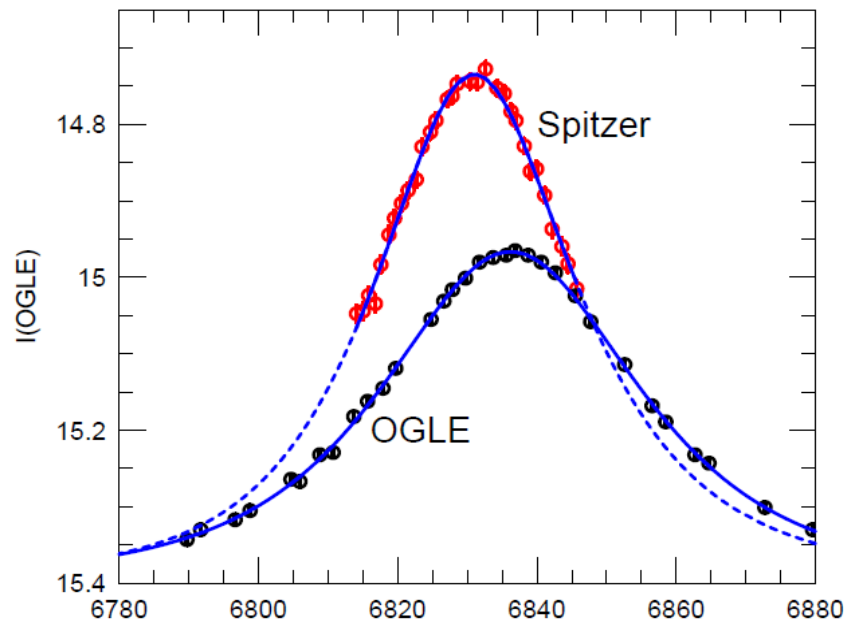
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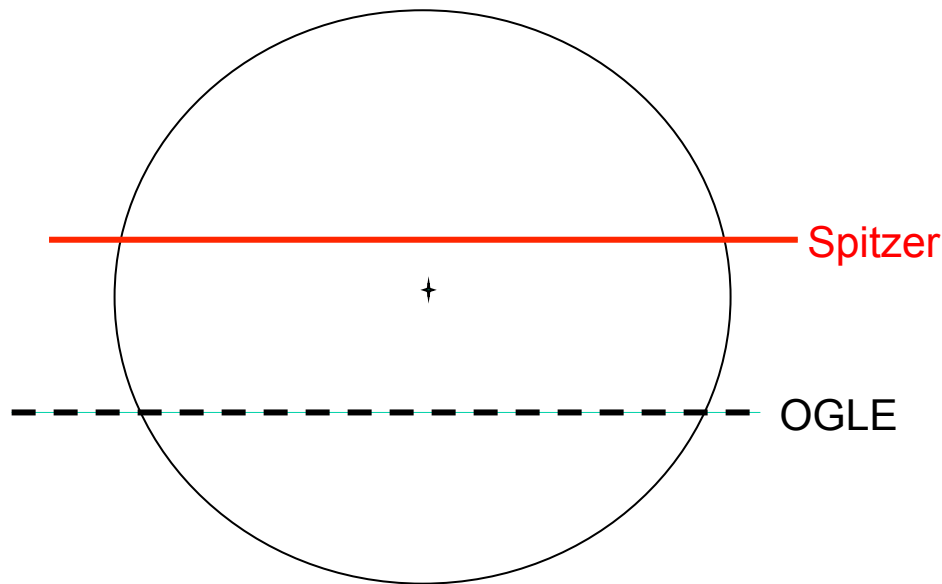
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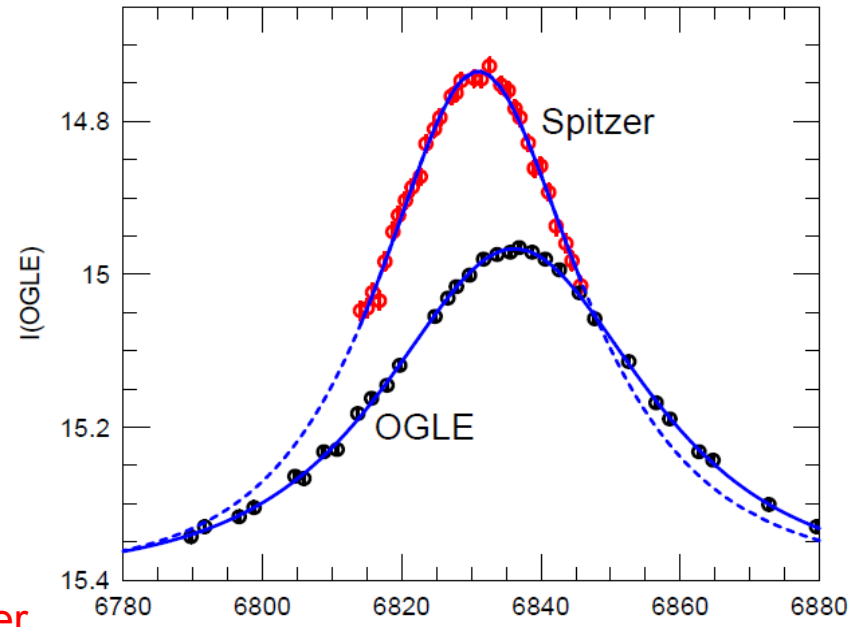
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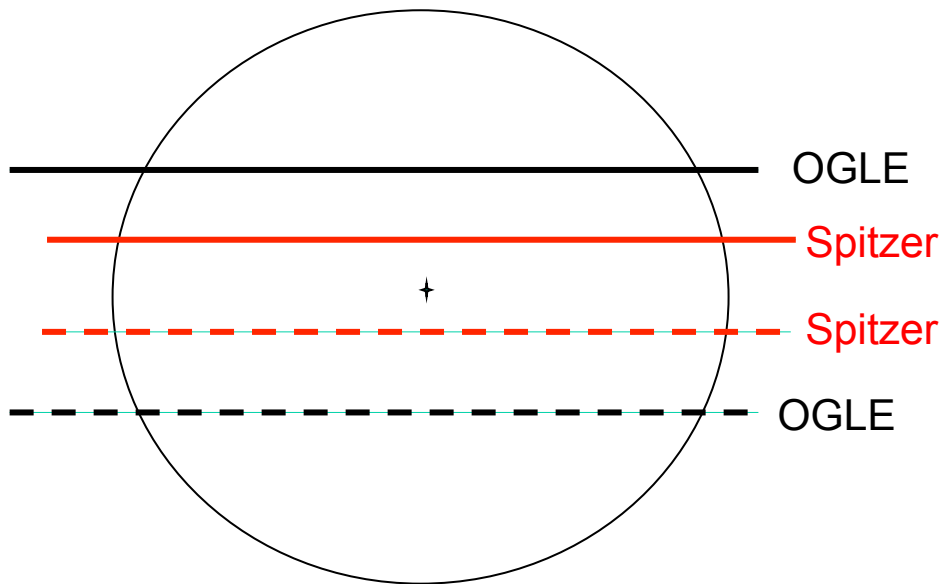
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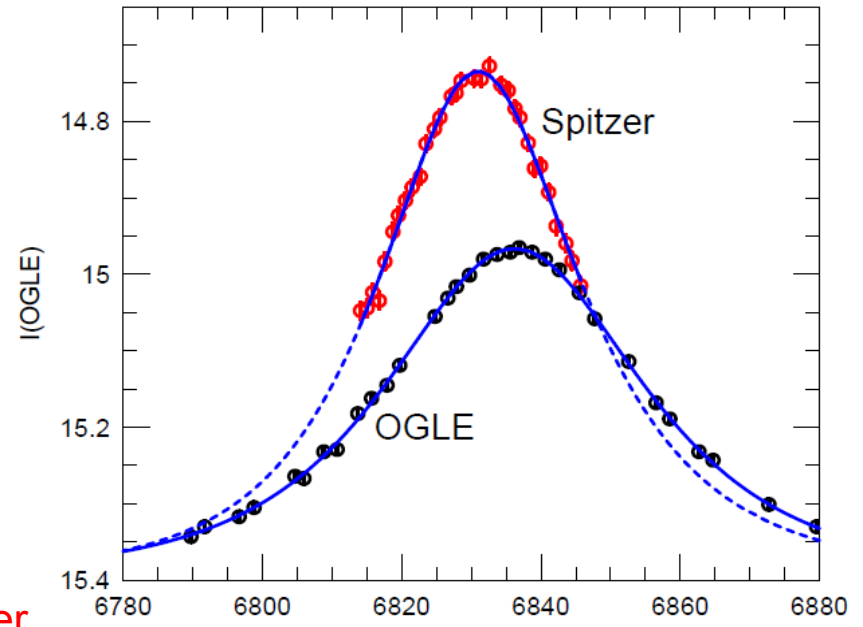
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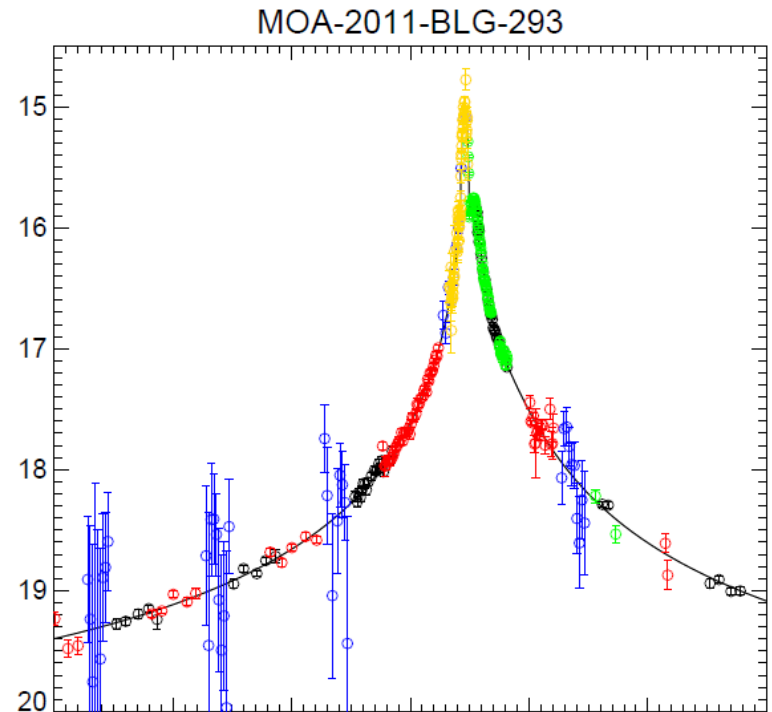
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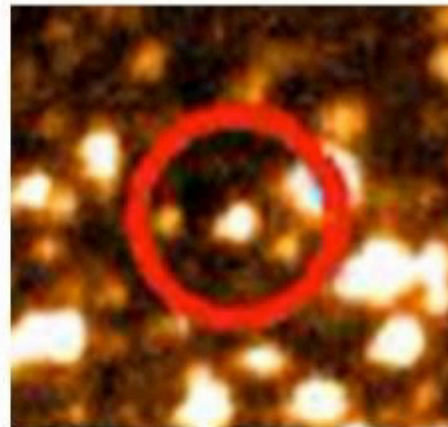


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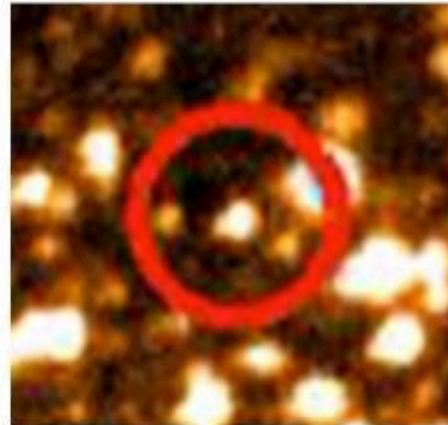
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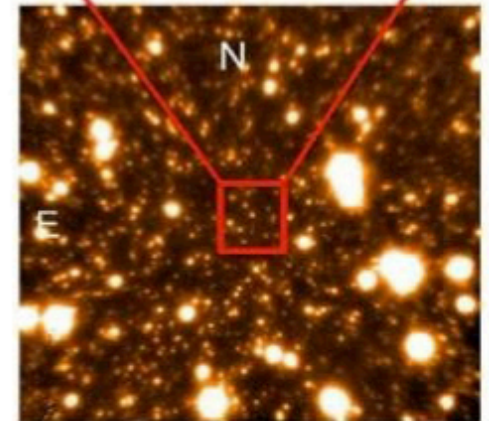
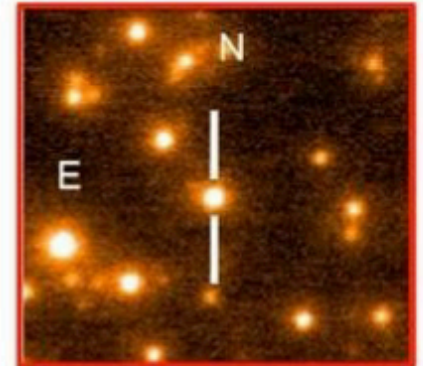
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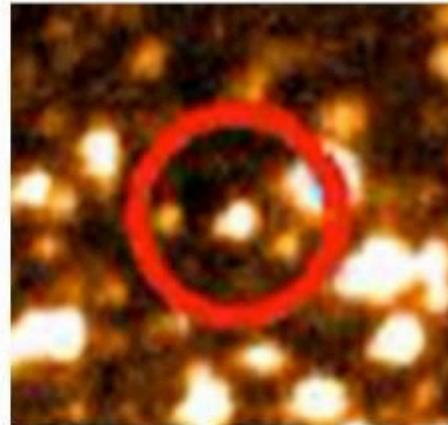
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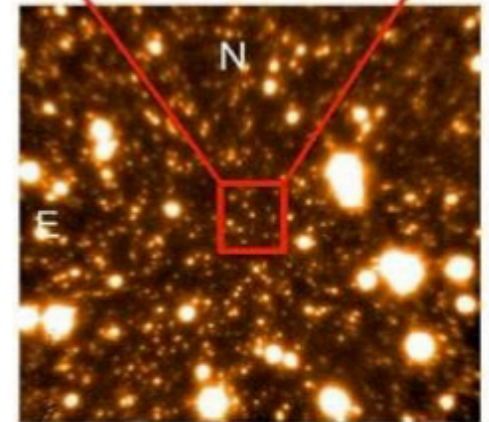
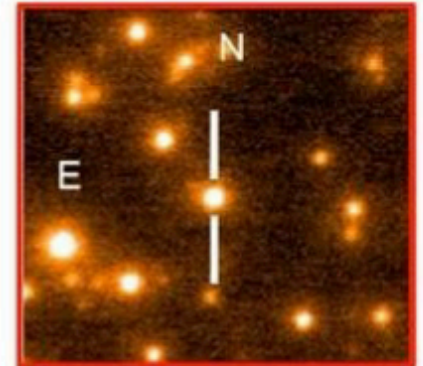
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SMARTS 1.3m



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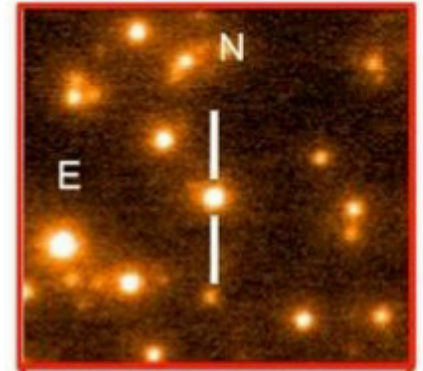




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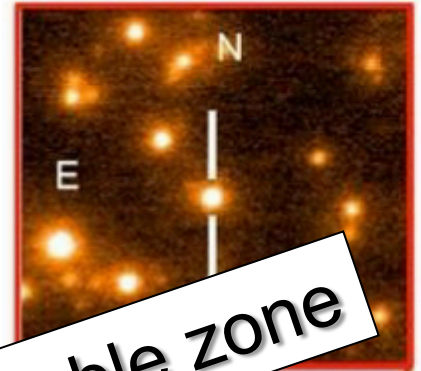
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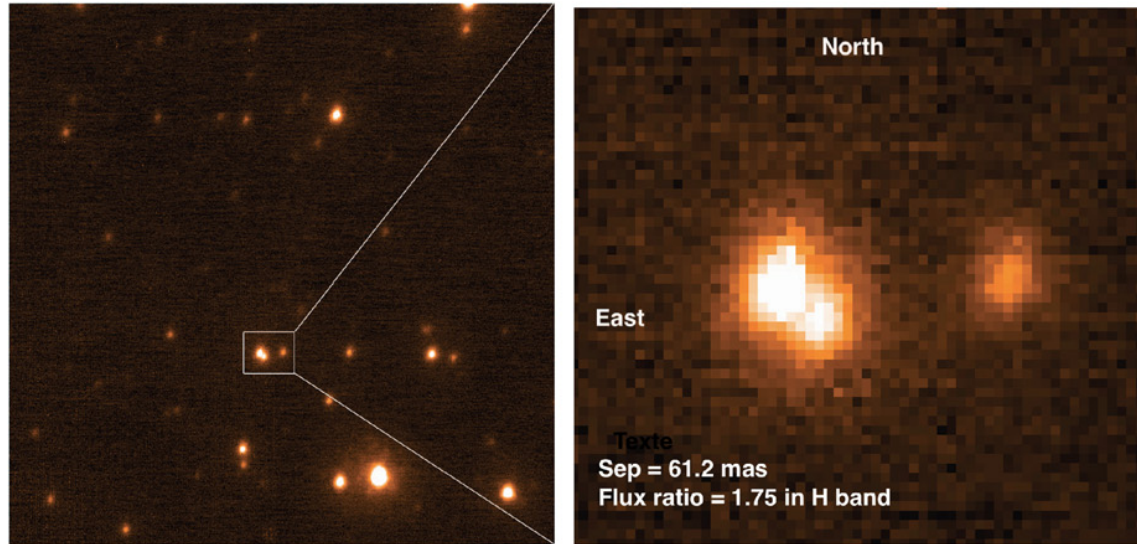
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8.2 years after event OGLE-2005-169....



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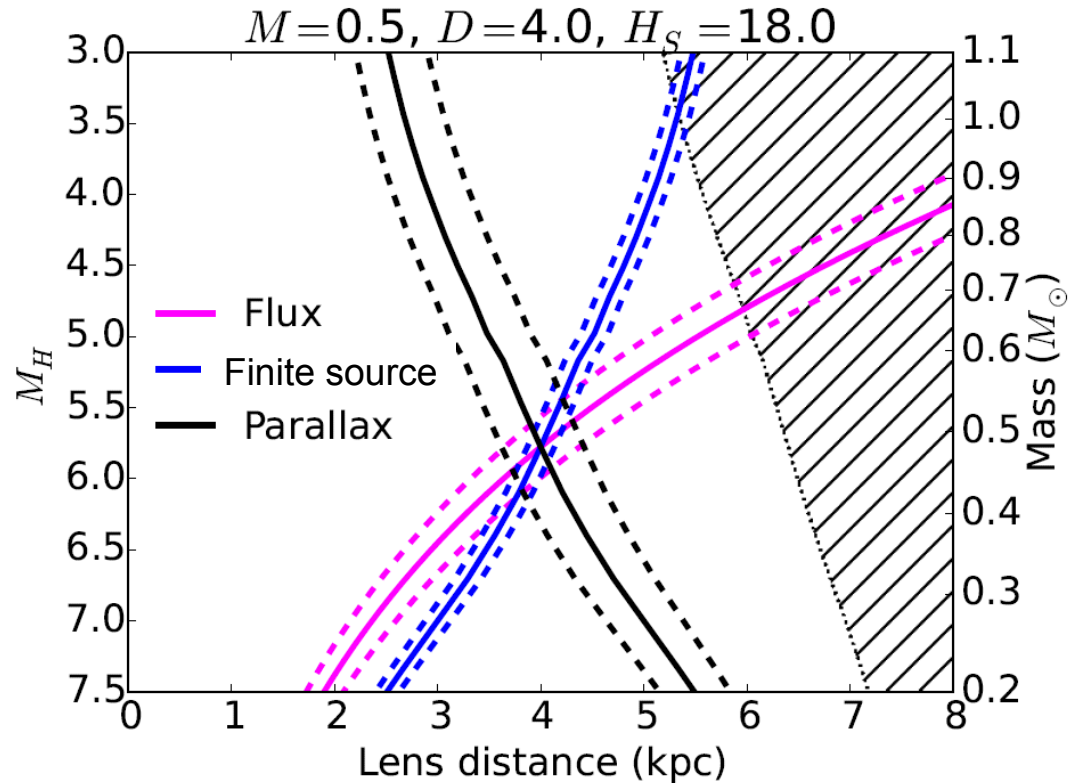
$$q = \frac{M_P}{M_L}$$

## Planet-Star separation

$$s = \frac{a_{\perp}}{r_E}$$

## Event timescale

$$t_E(M_L, D_L, D_S, \mu_{rel}) = \frac{\theta_E}{\mu_{rel}}$$



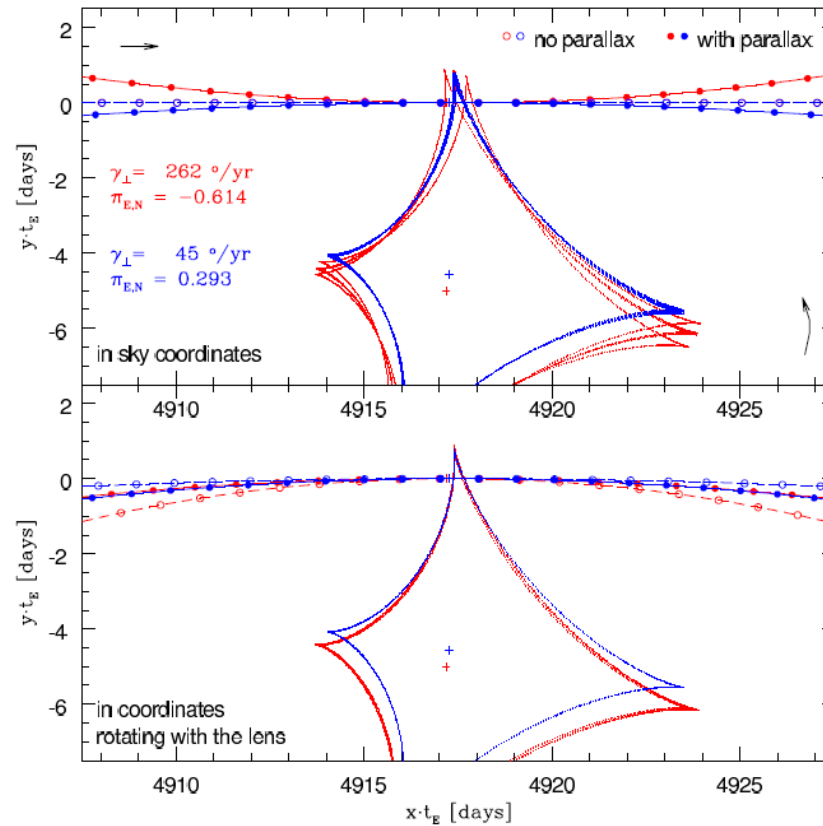
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# Full Keplerian solution

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# Keplerian proposal

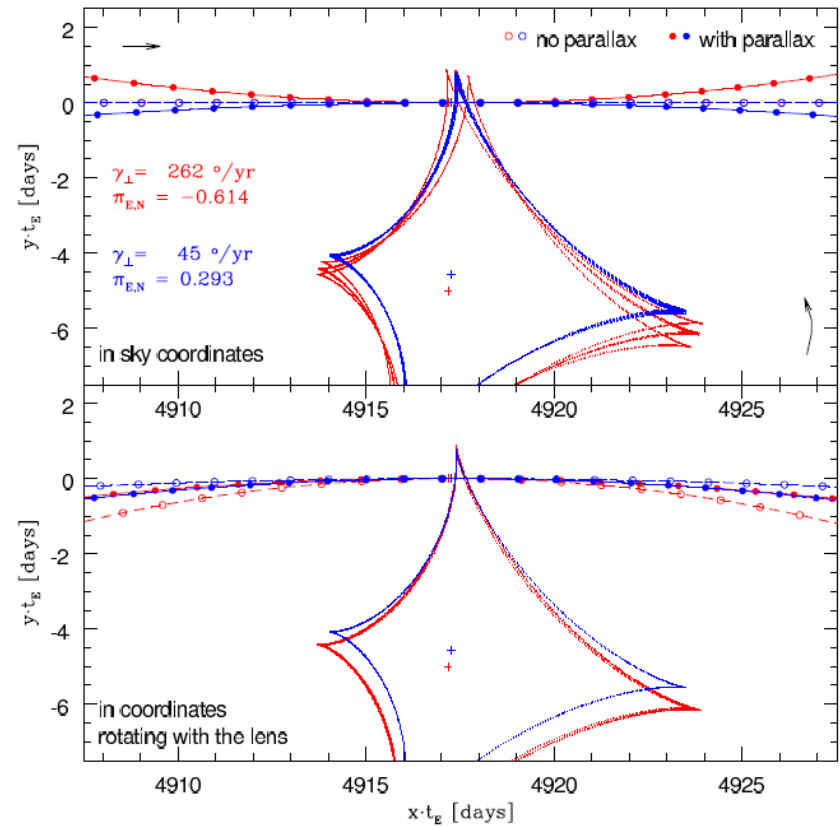
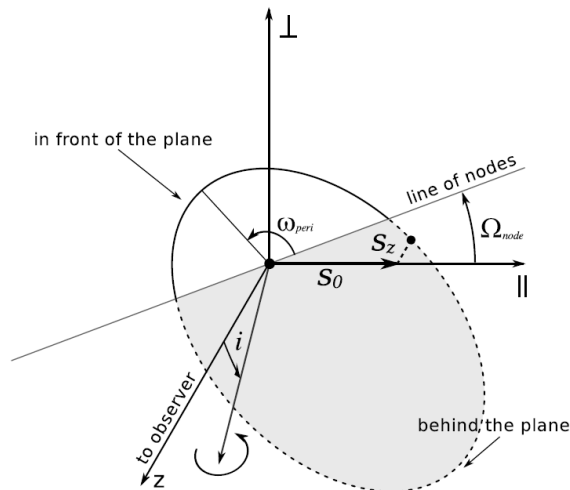
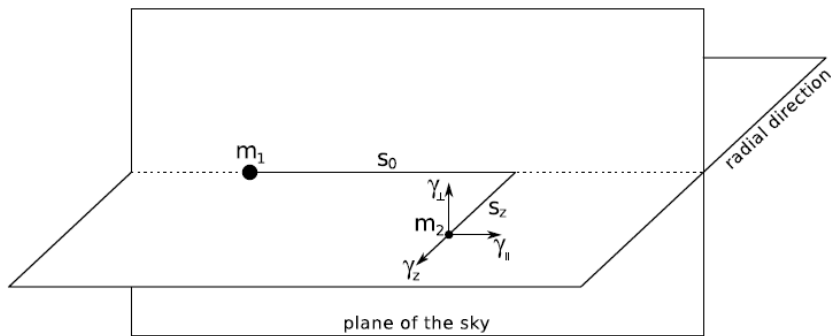
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