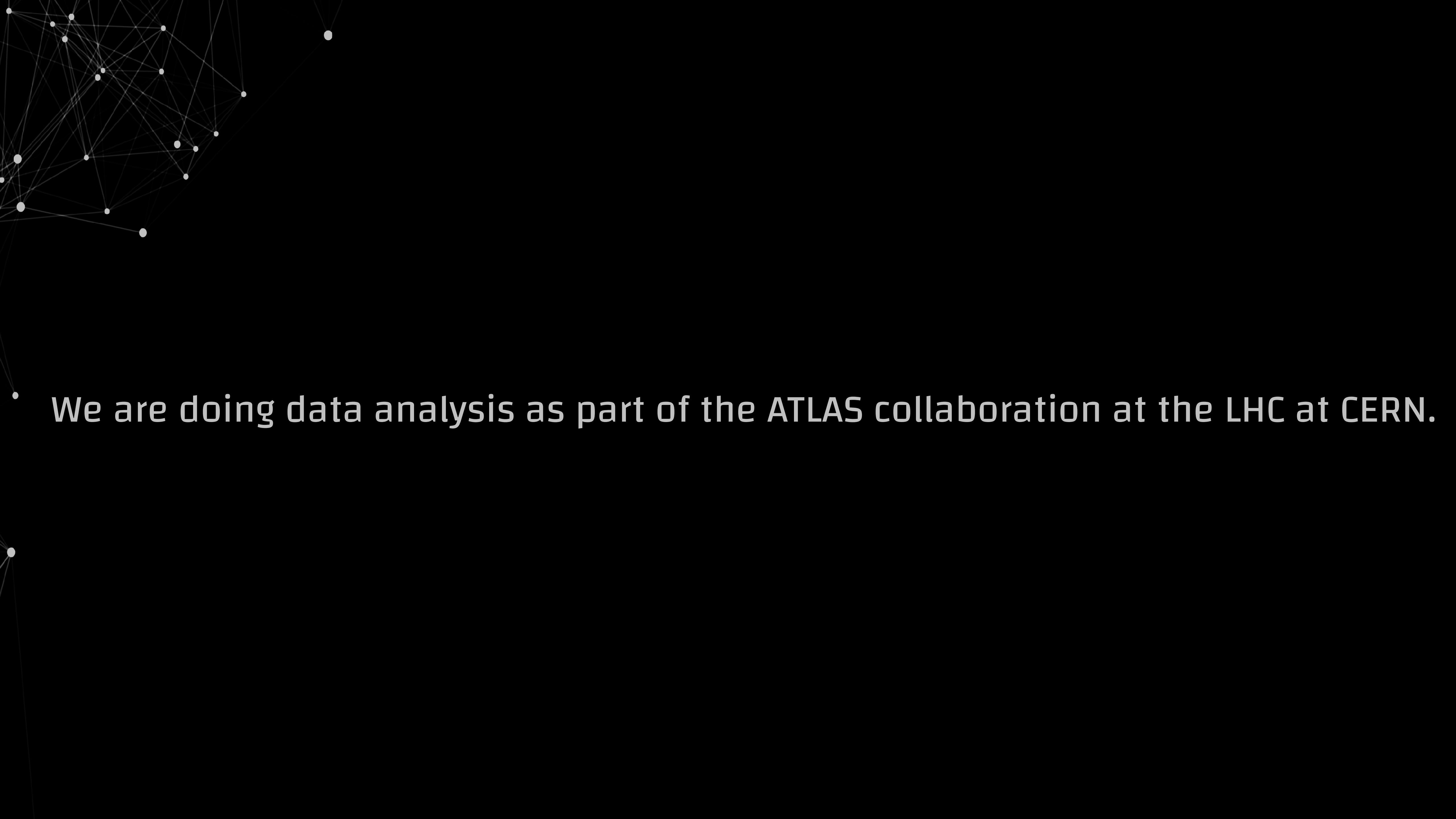
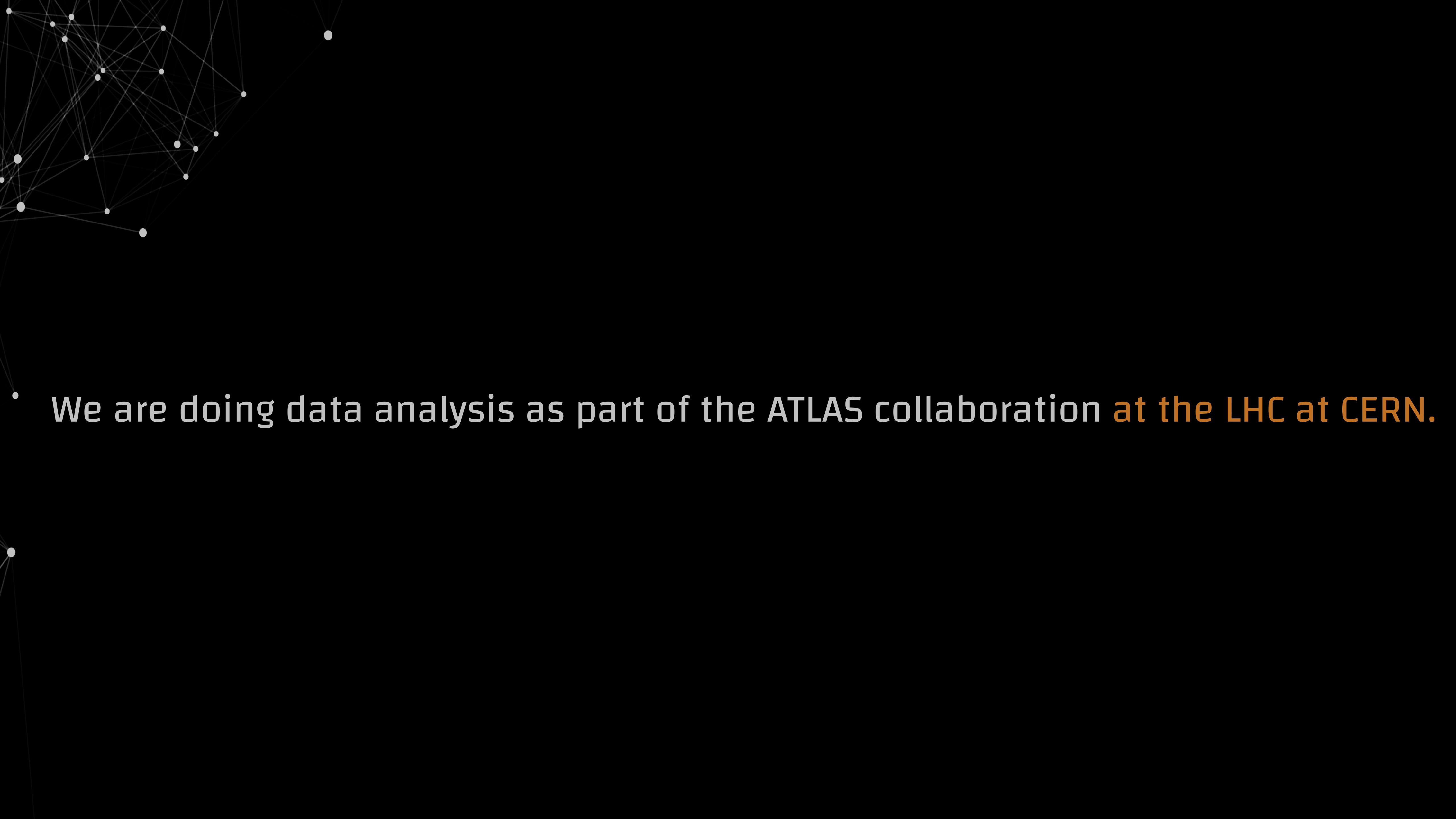


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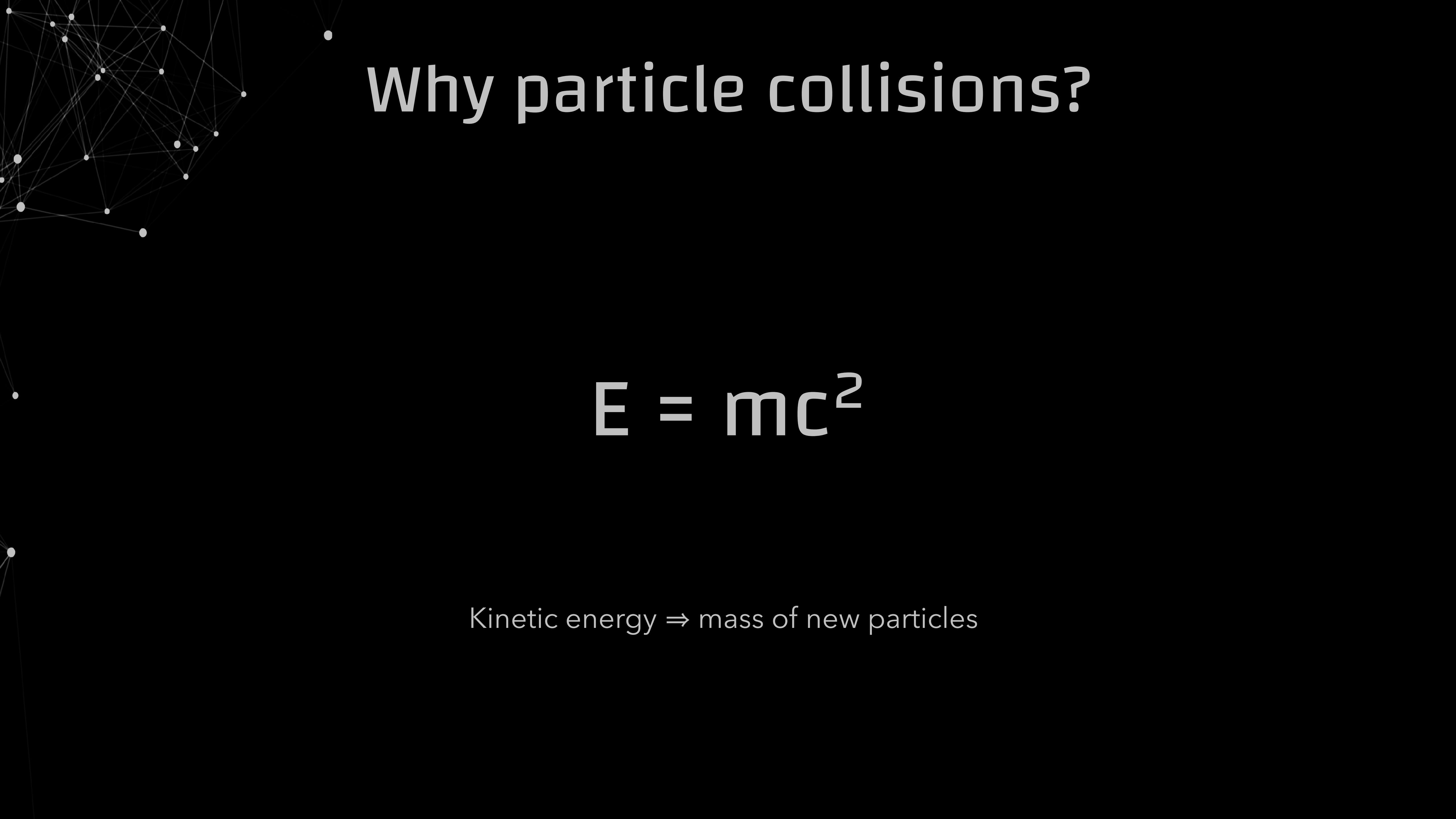
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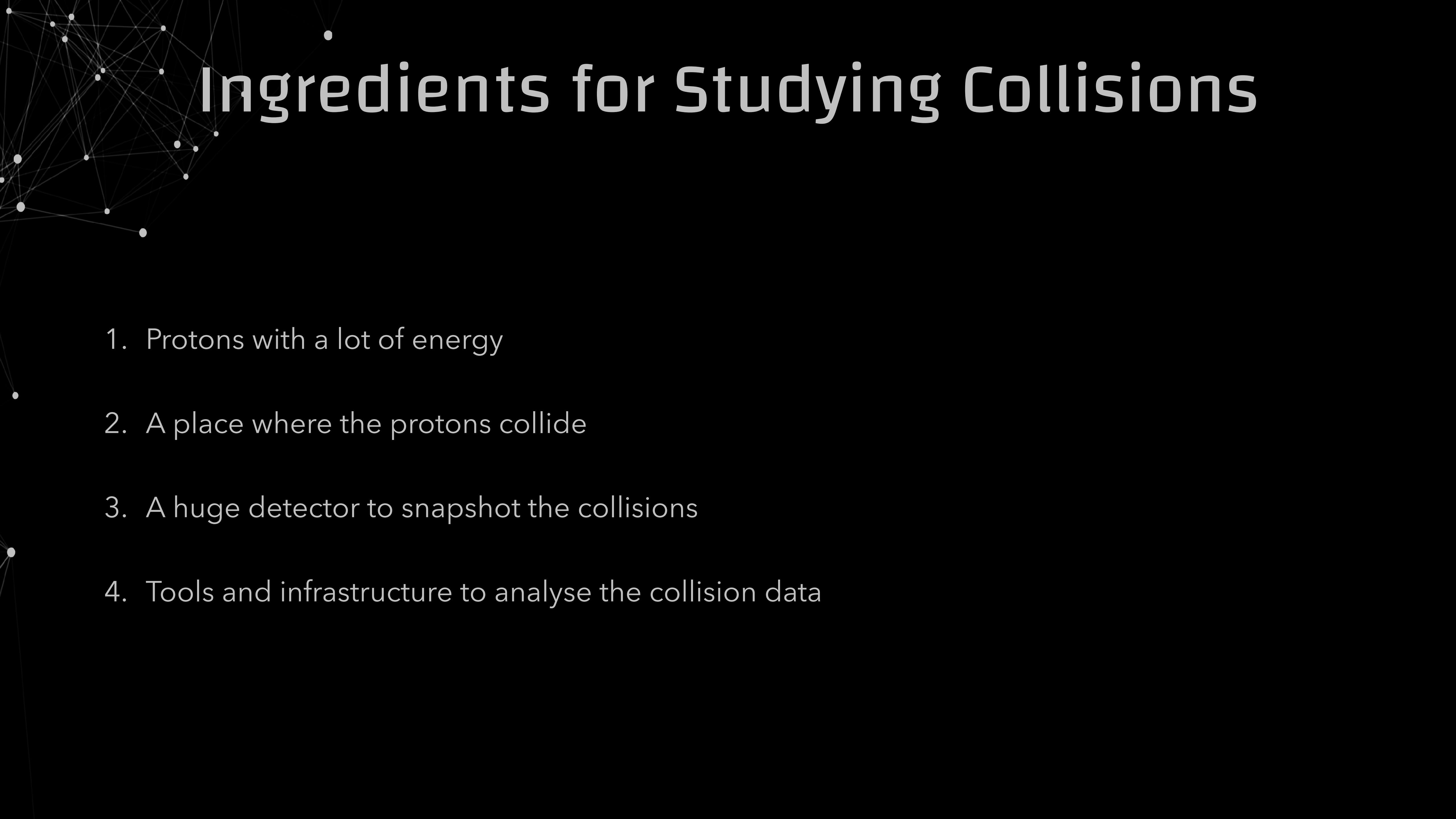
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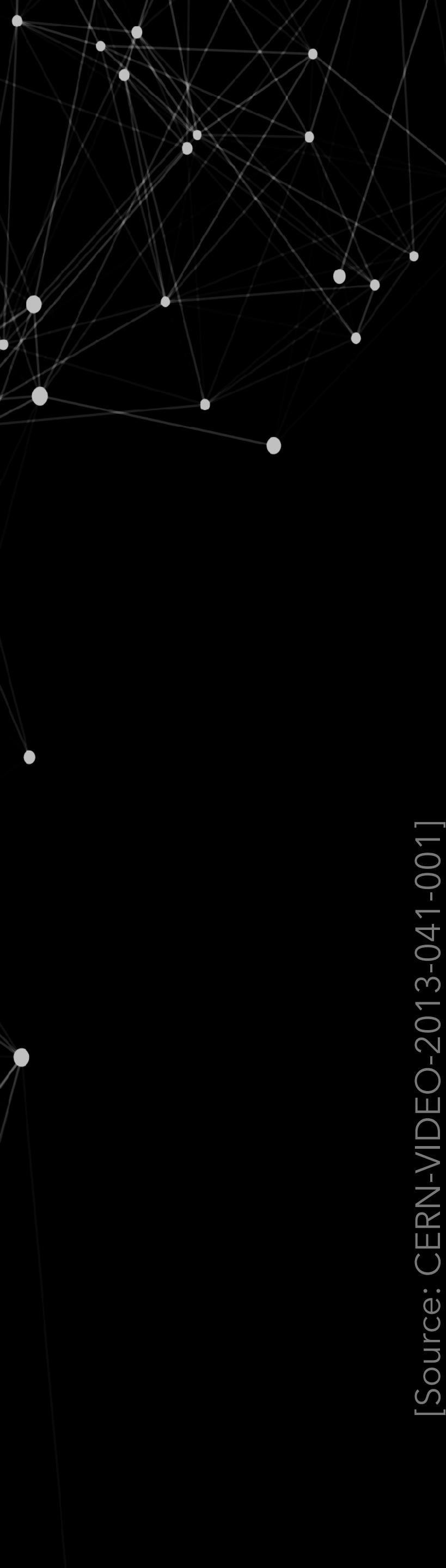
$$E = mc^2$$

Kinetic energy  $\Rightarrow$  mass of new particles



# Ingredients for Studying Collisions

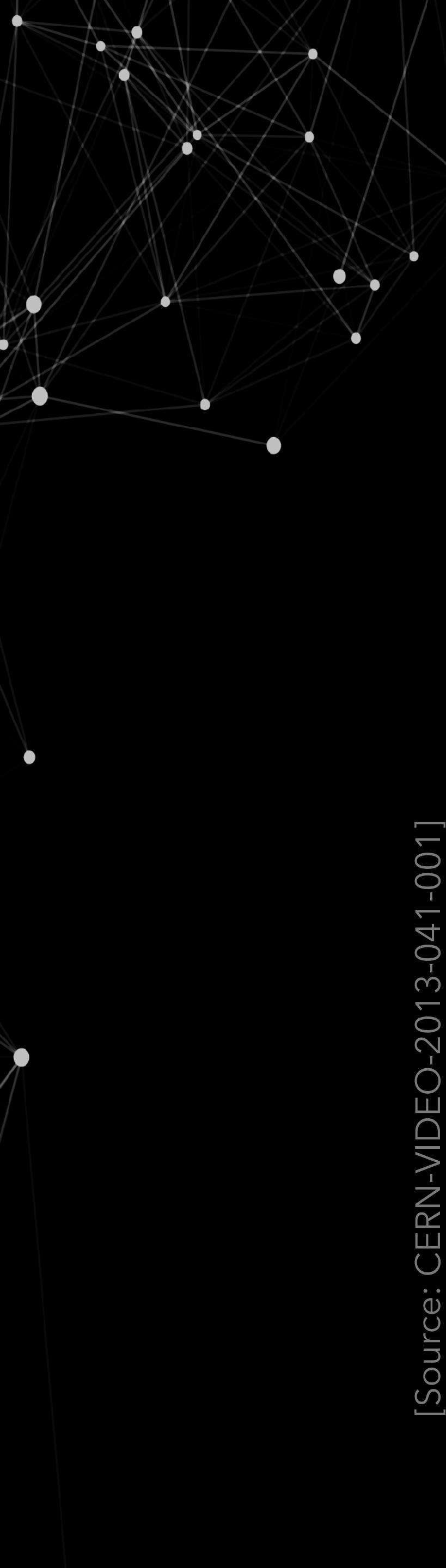
1. Protons with a lot of energy
2. A place where the protons collide
3. A huge detector to snapshot the collisions
4. Tools and infrastructure to analyse the collision data



# Accelerating the protons

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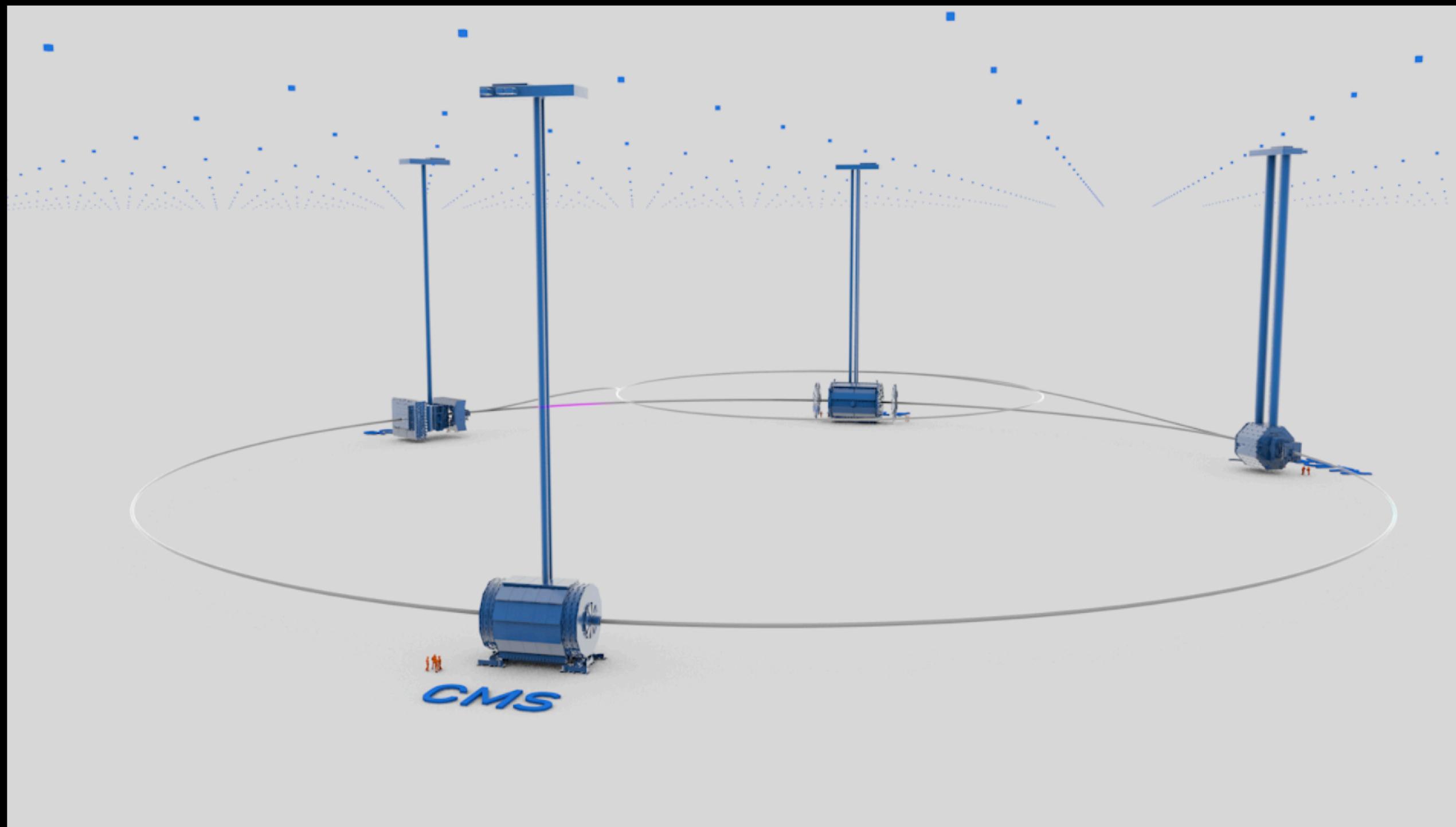
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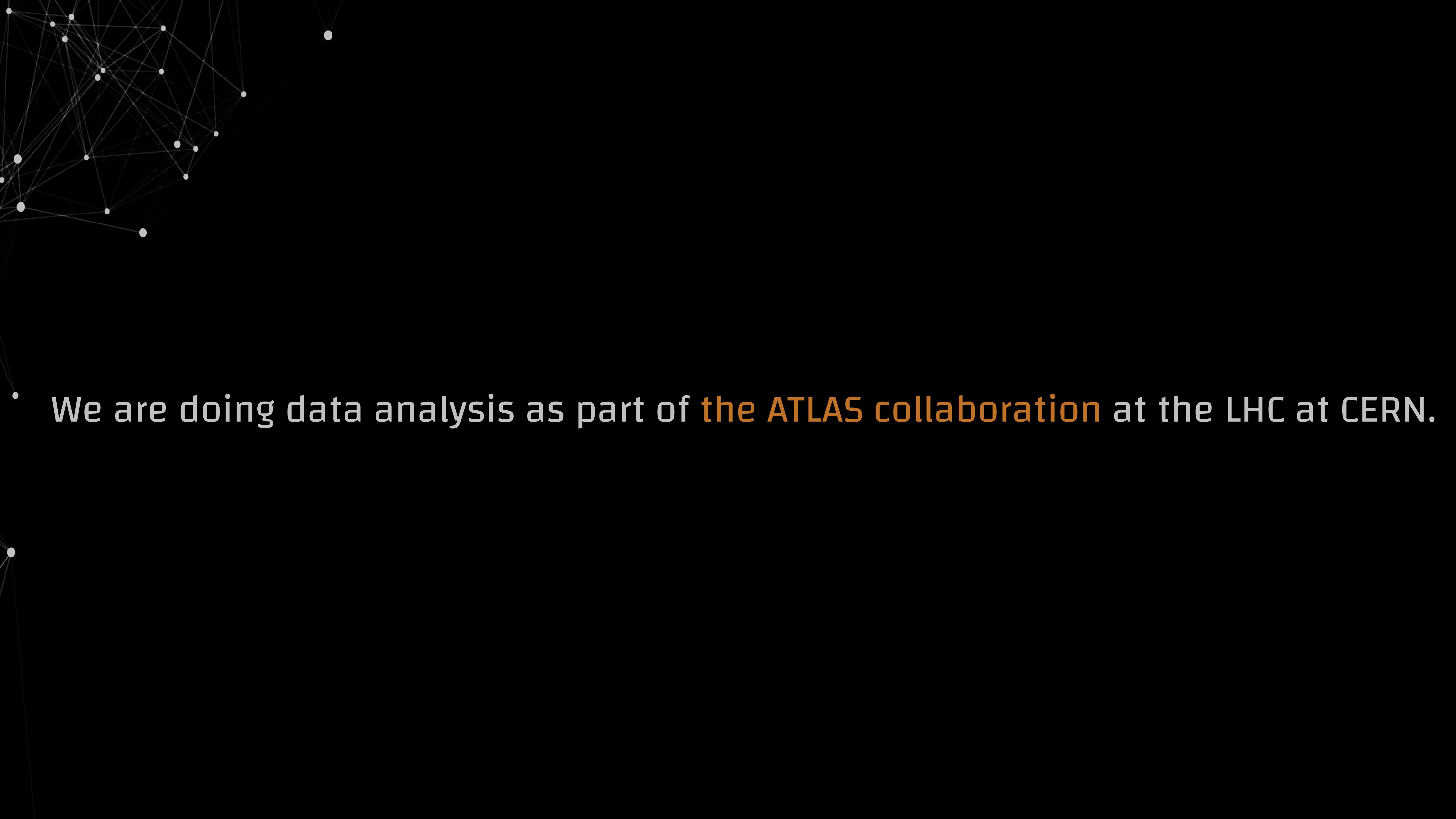


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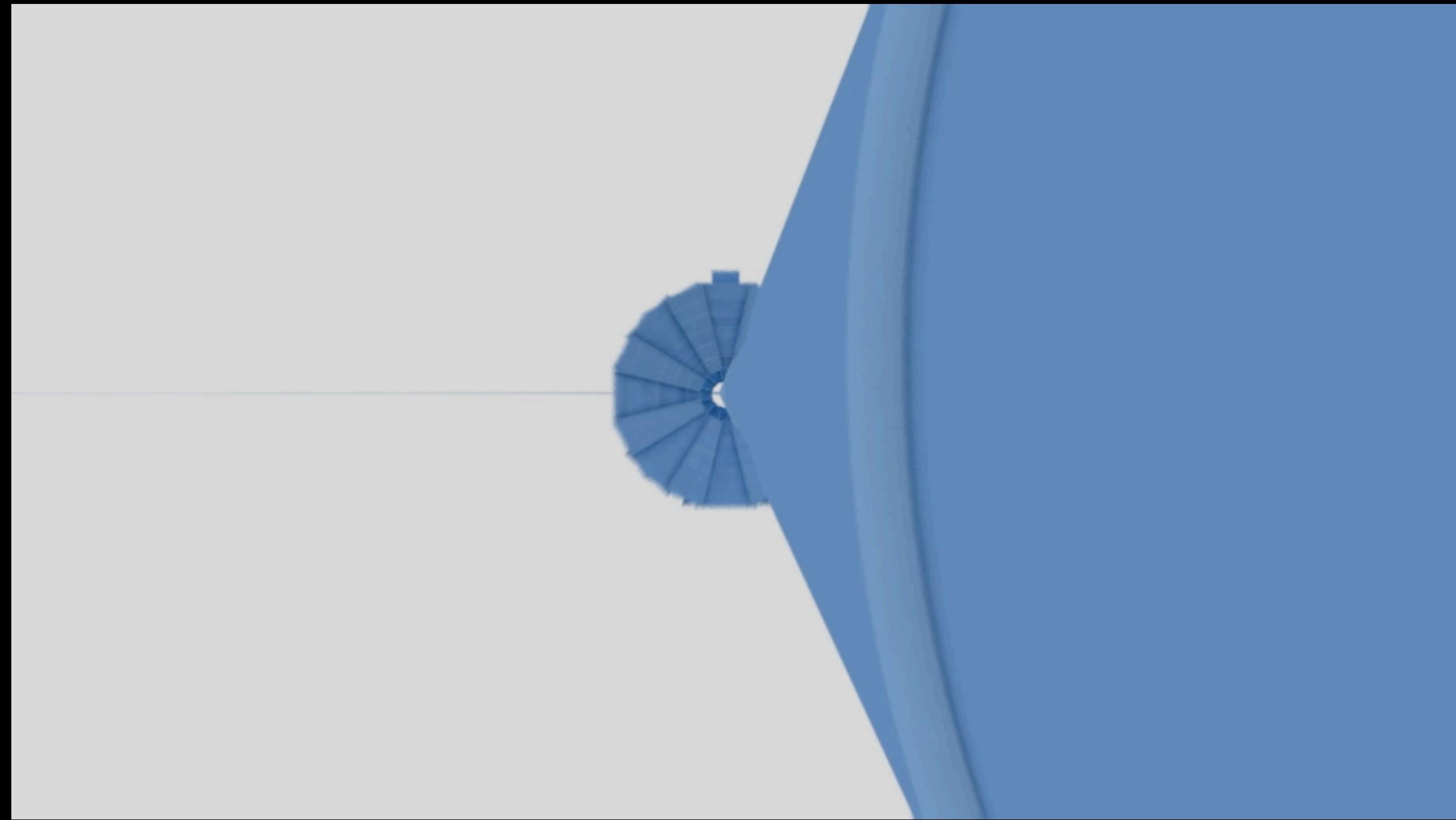
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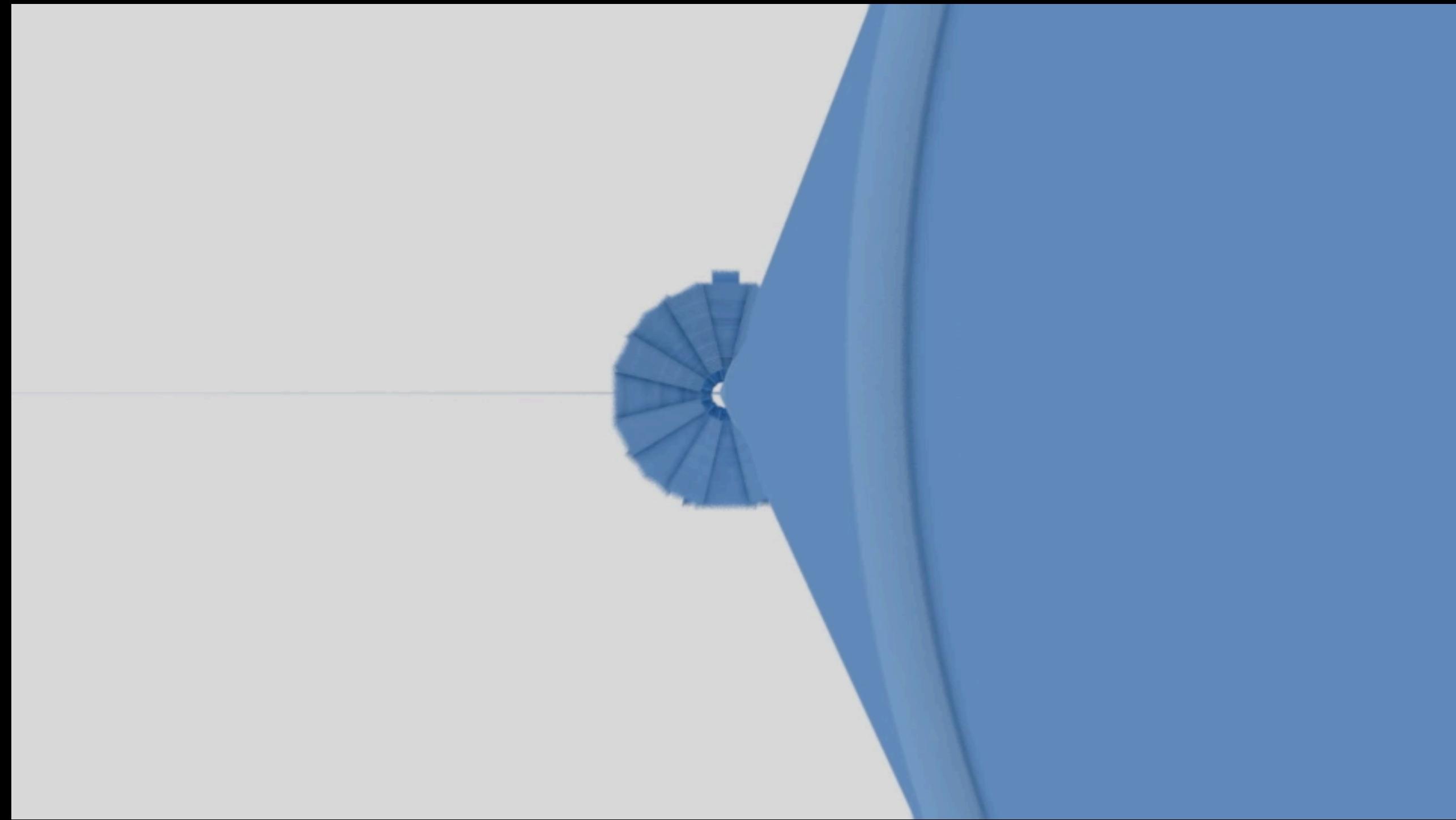
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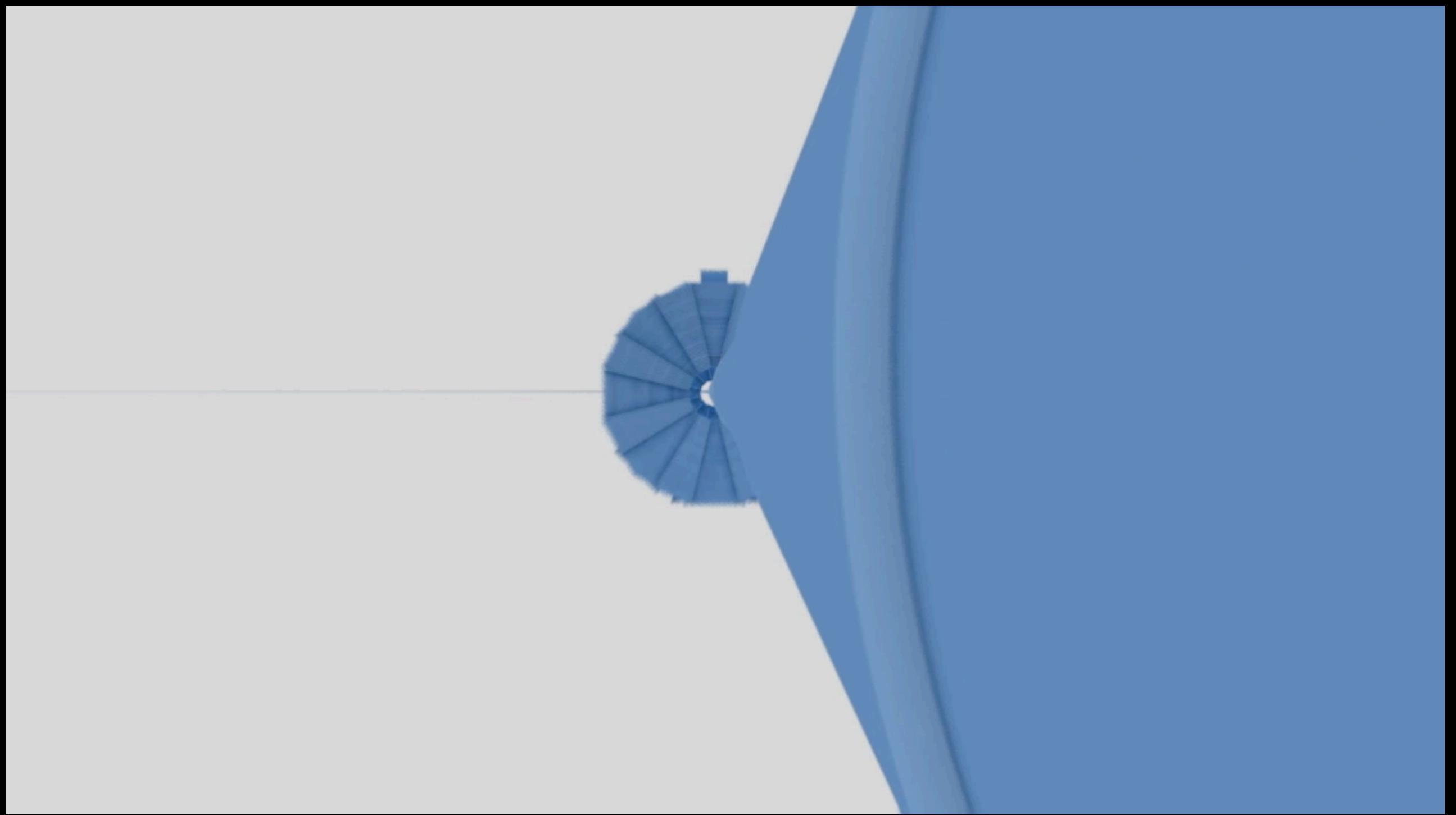
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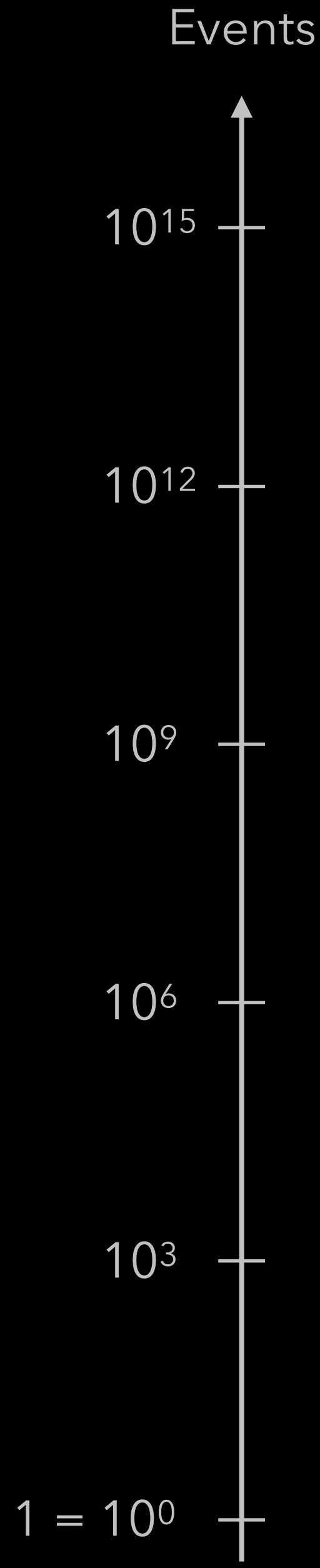


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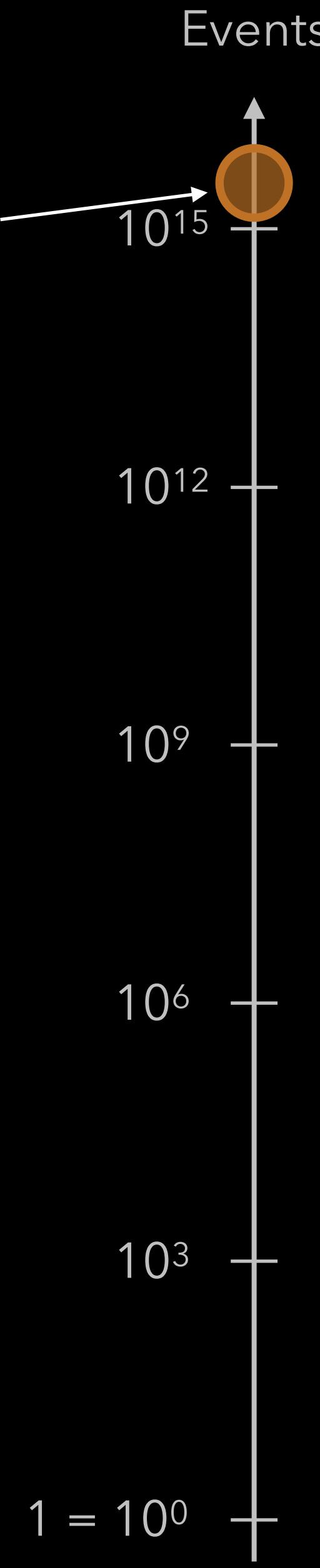
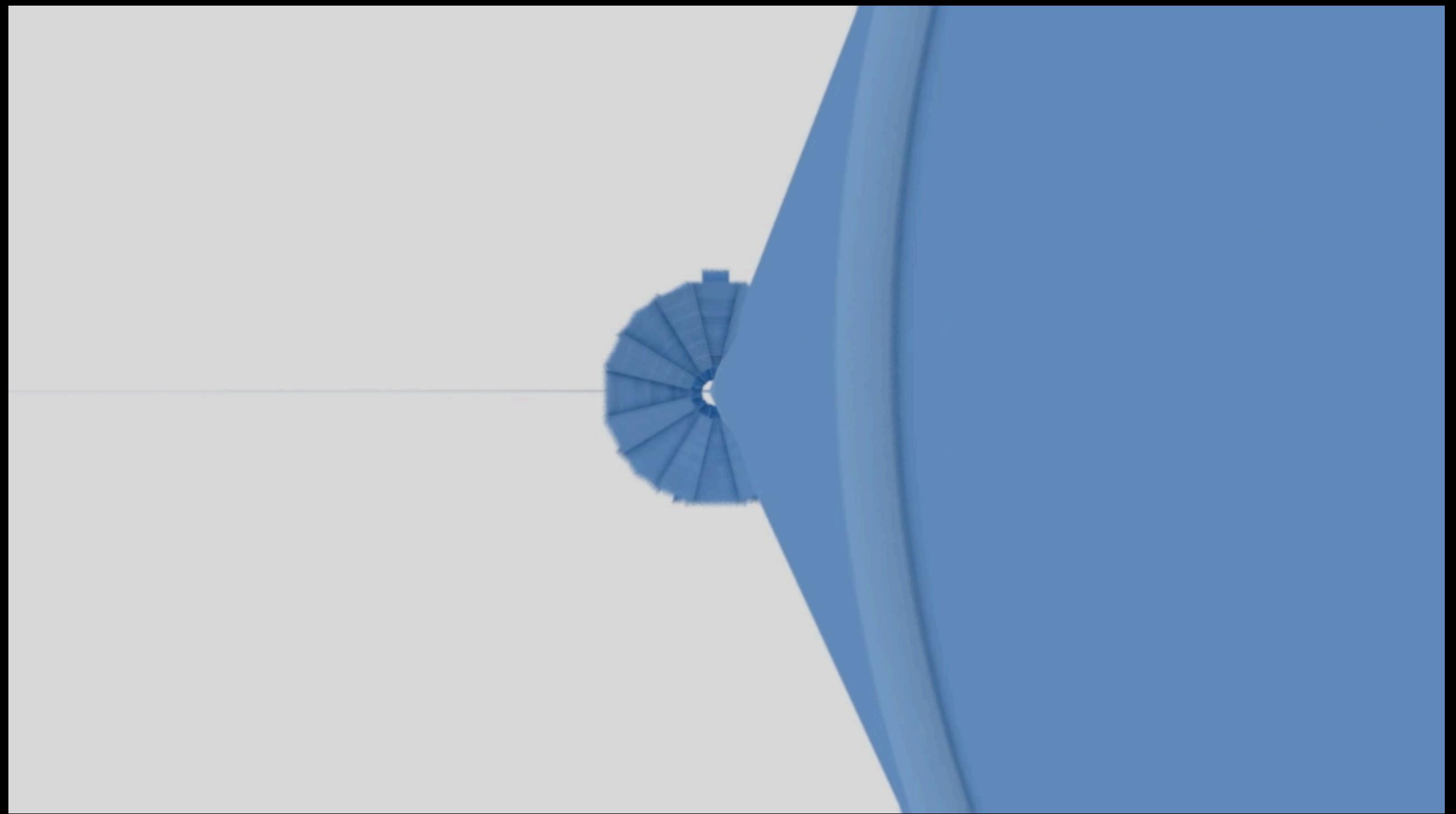
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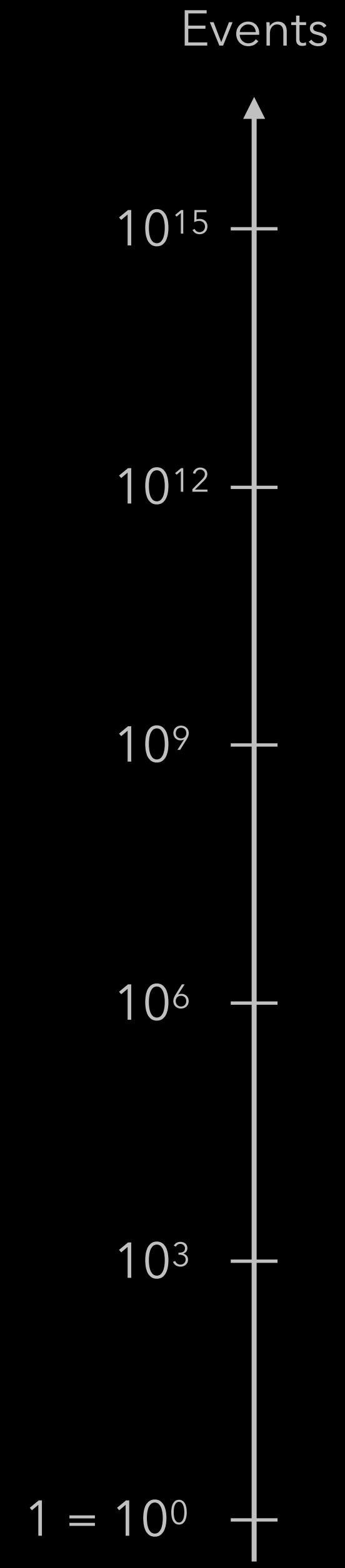
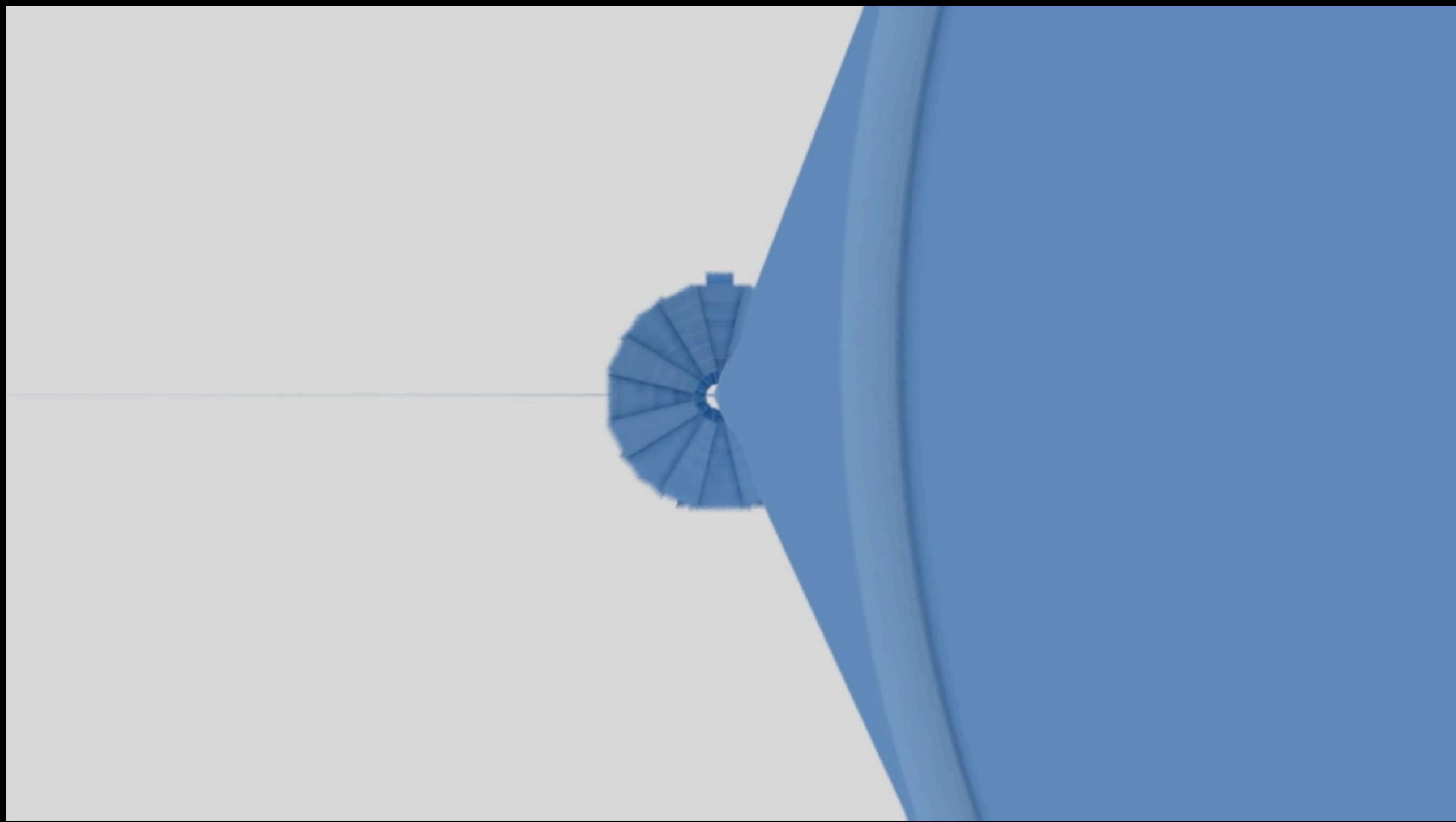


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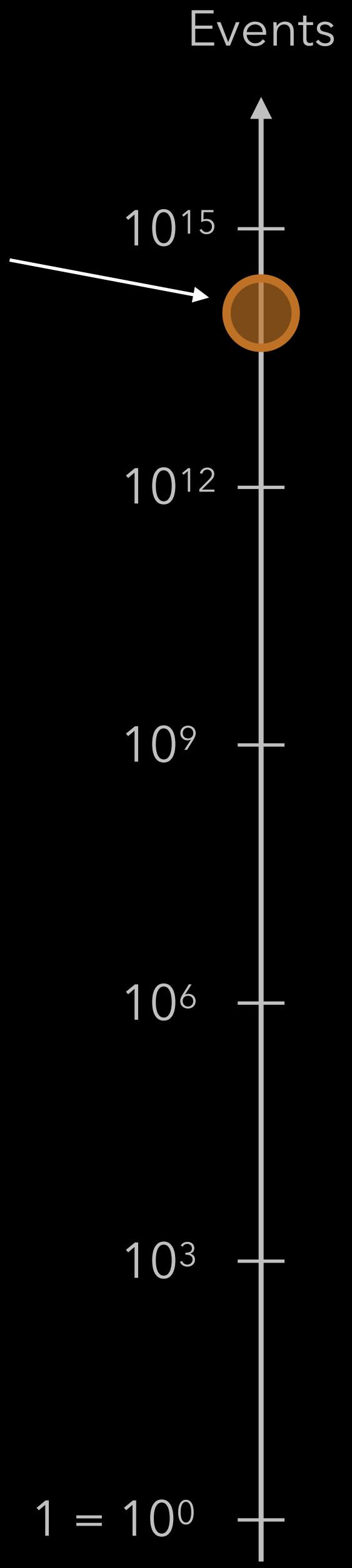
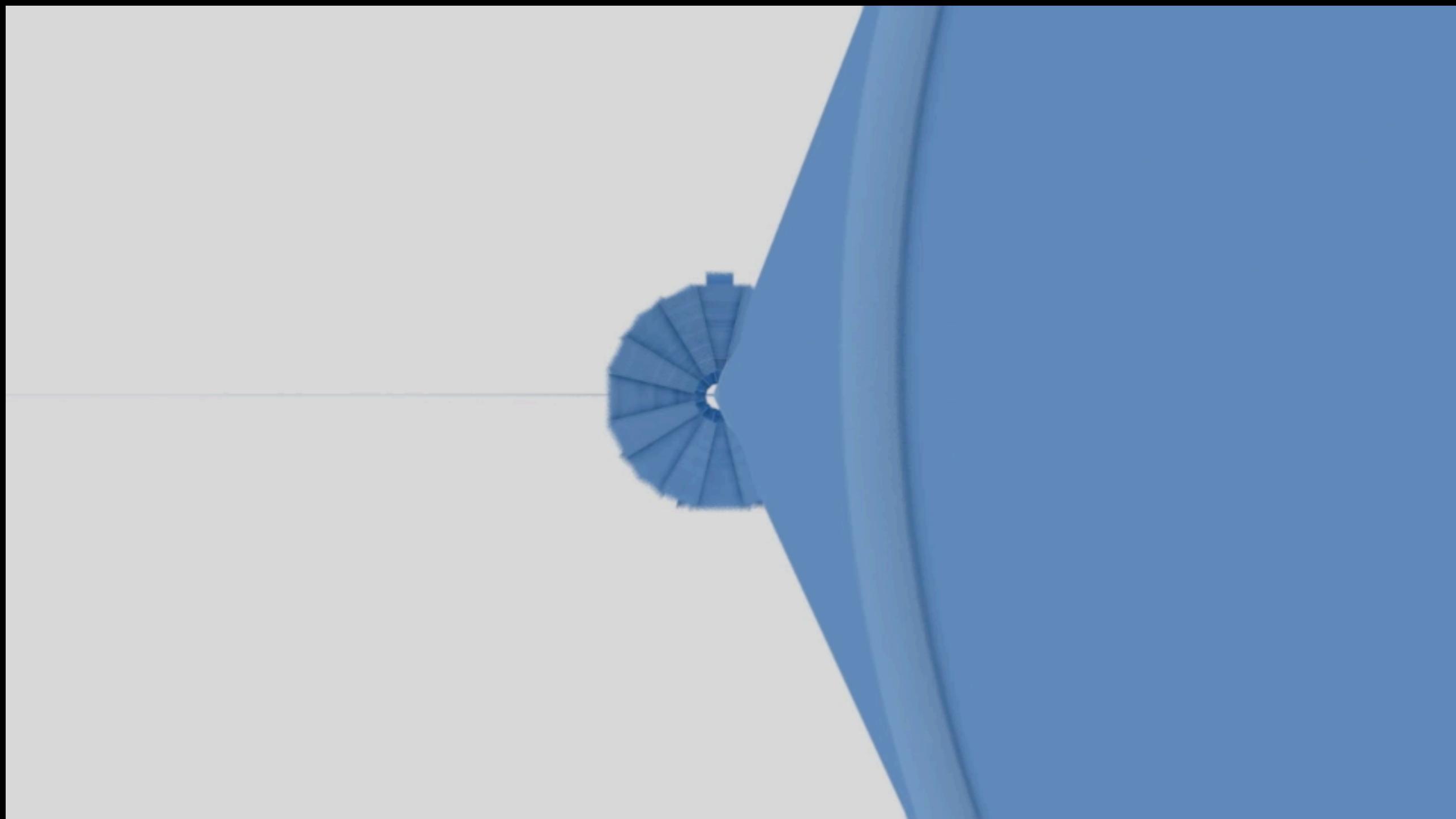
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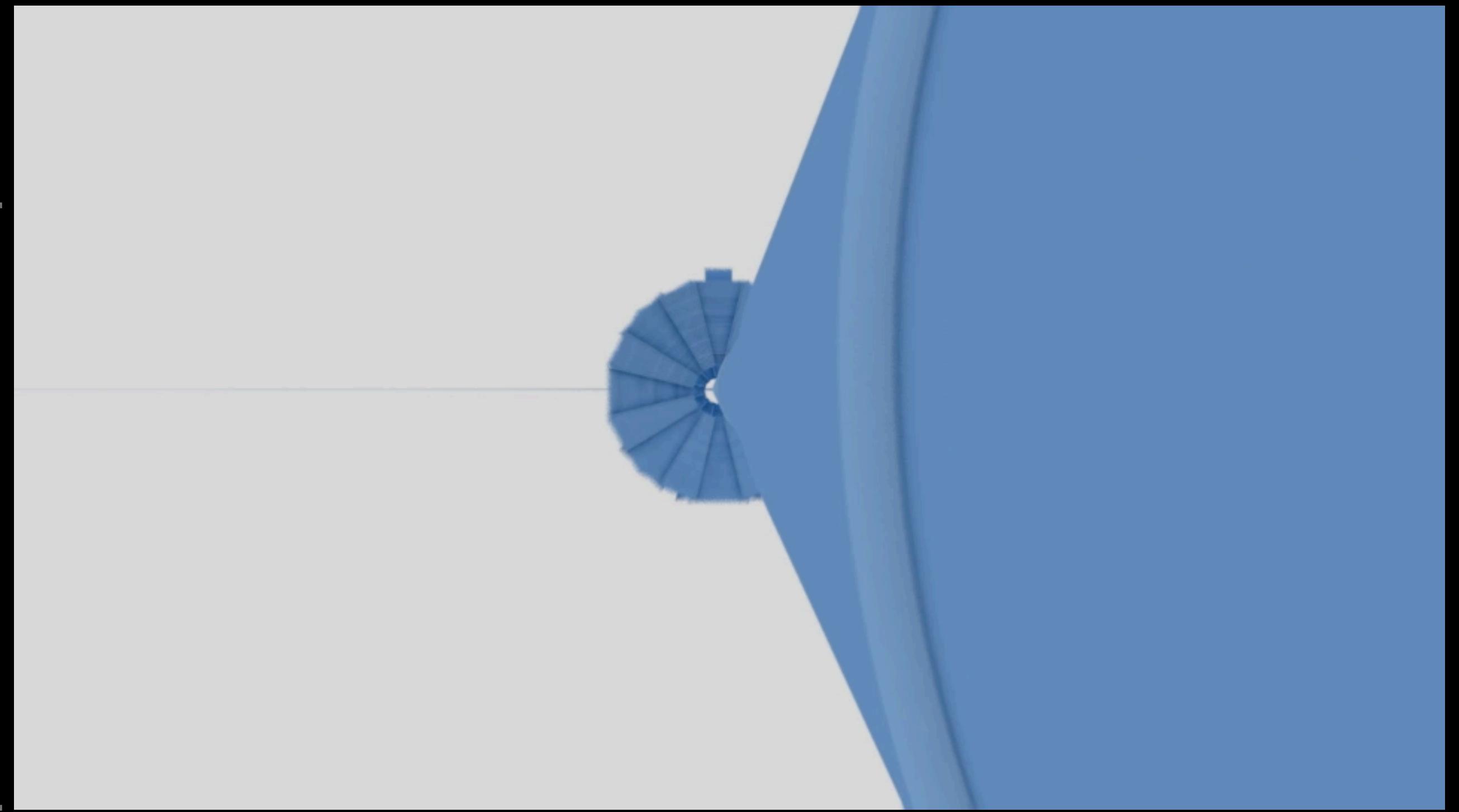
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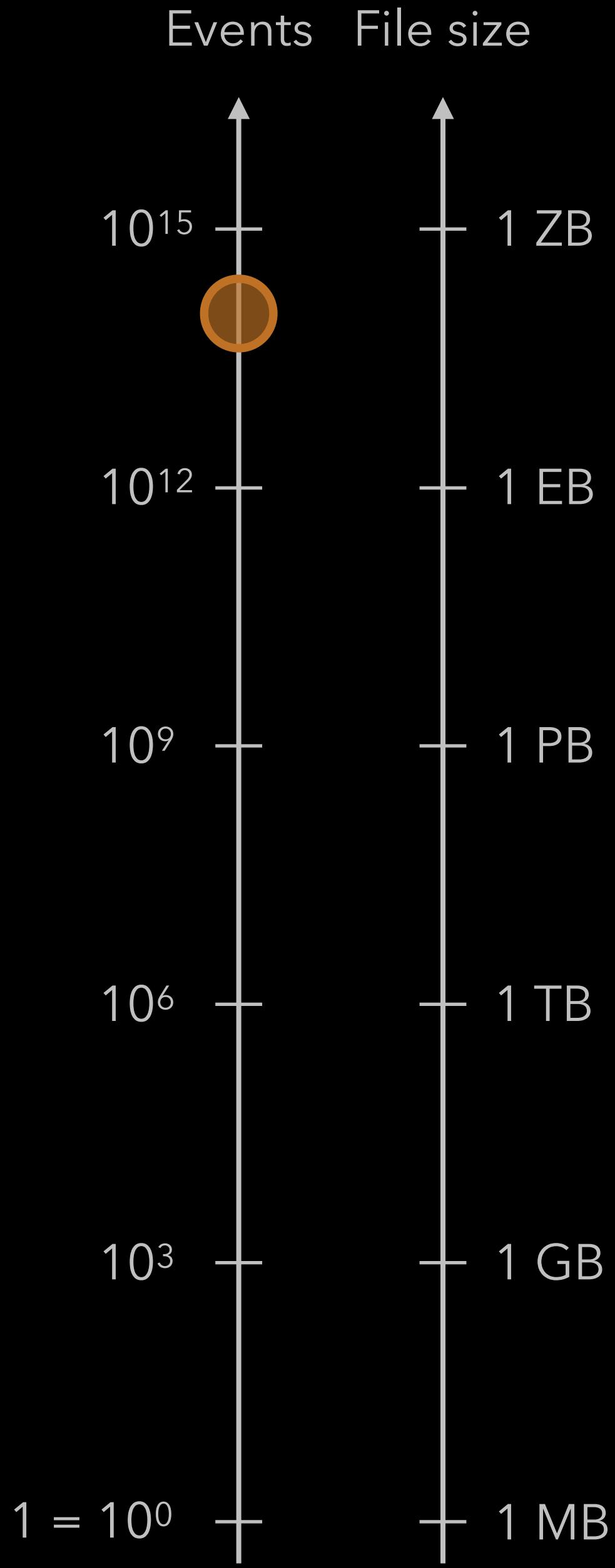
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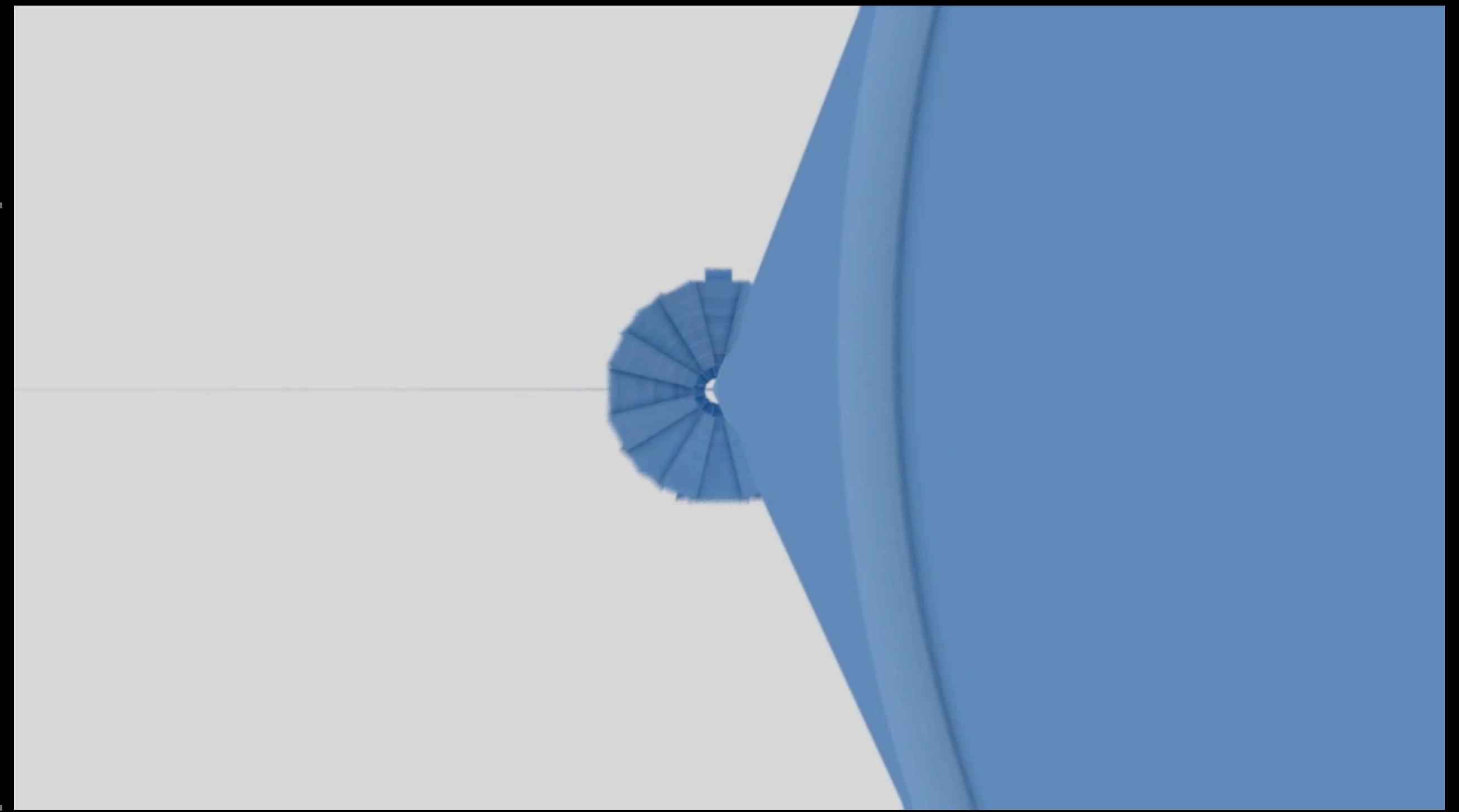
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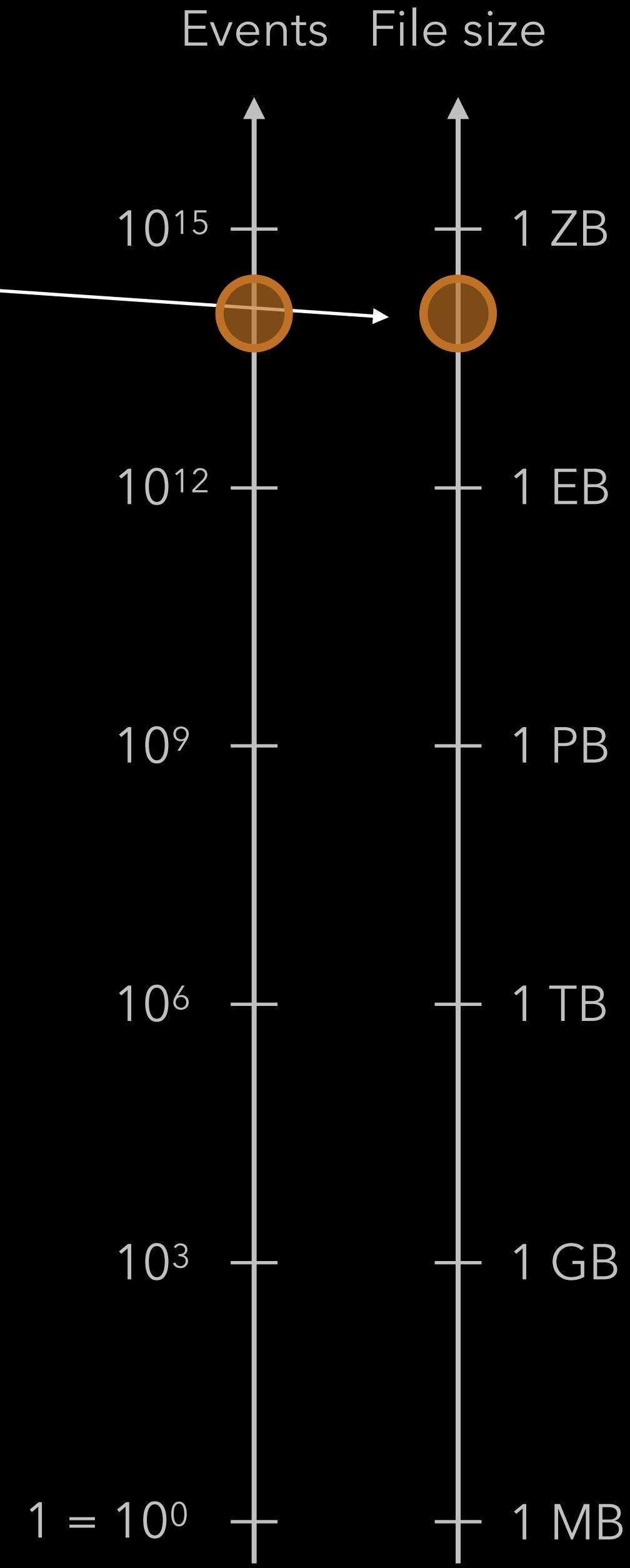
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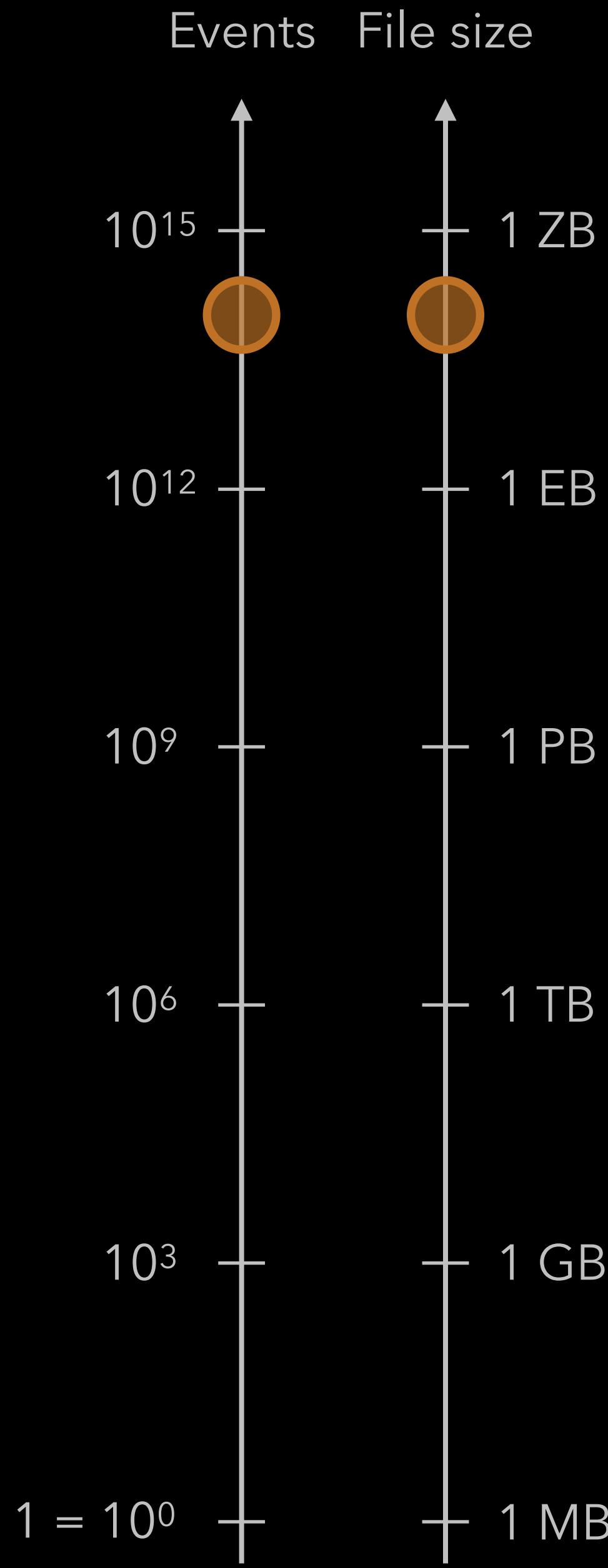
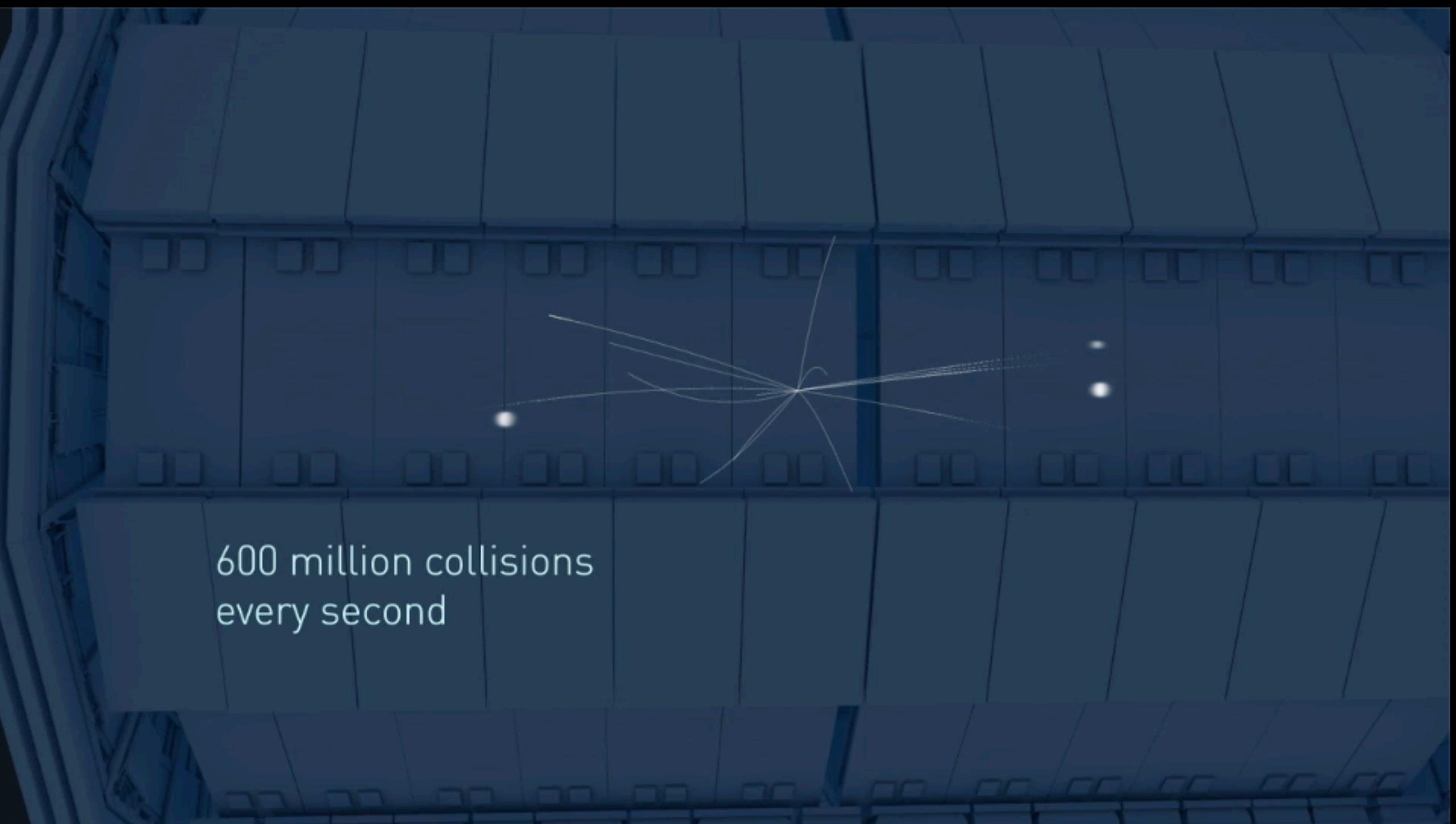
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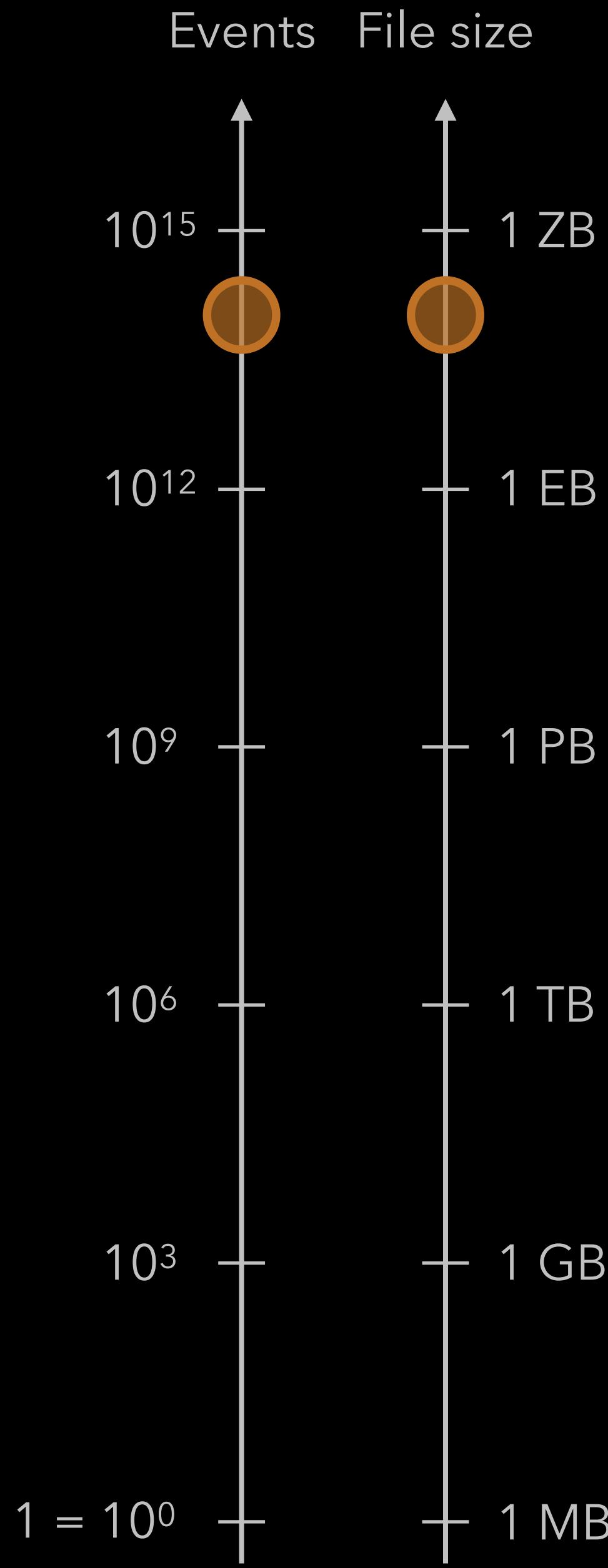
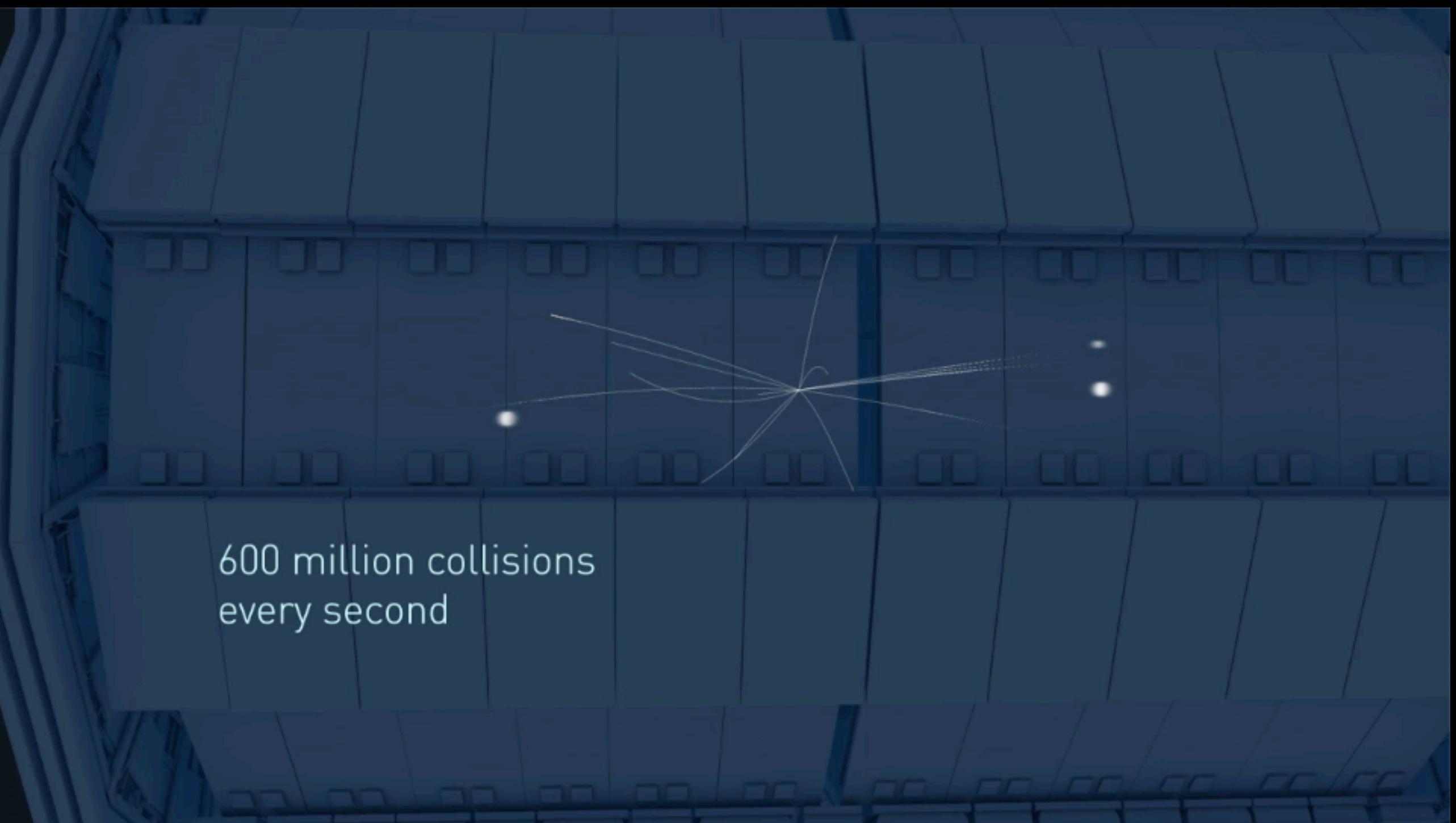
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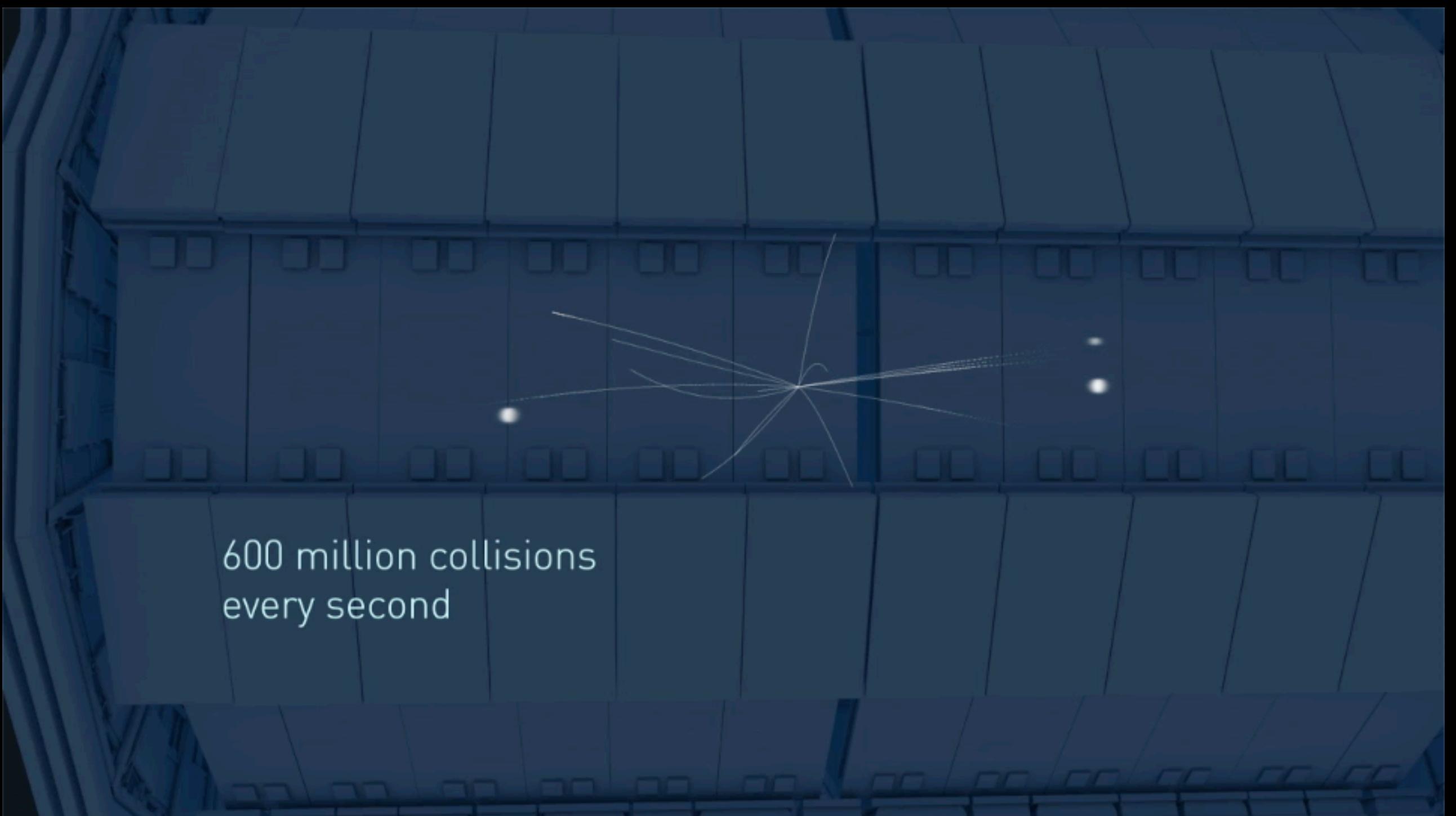
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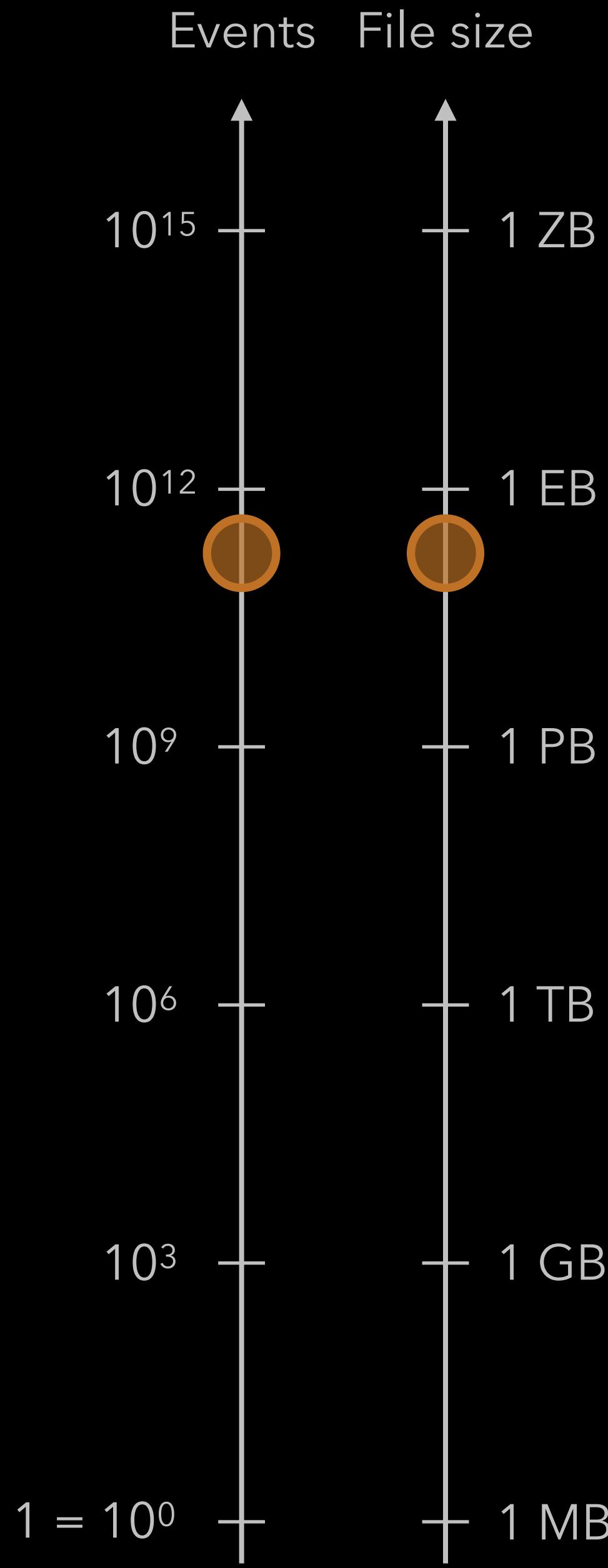
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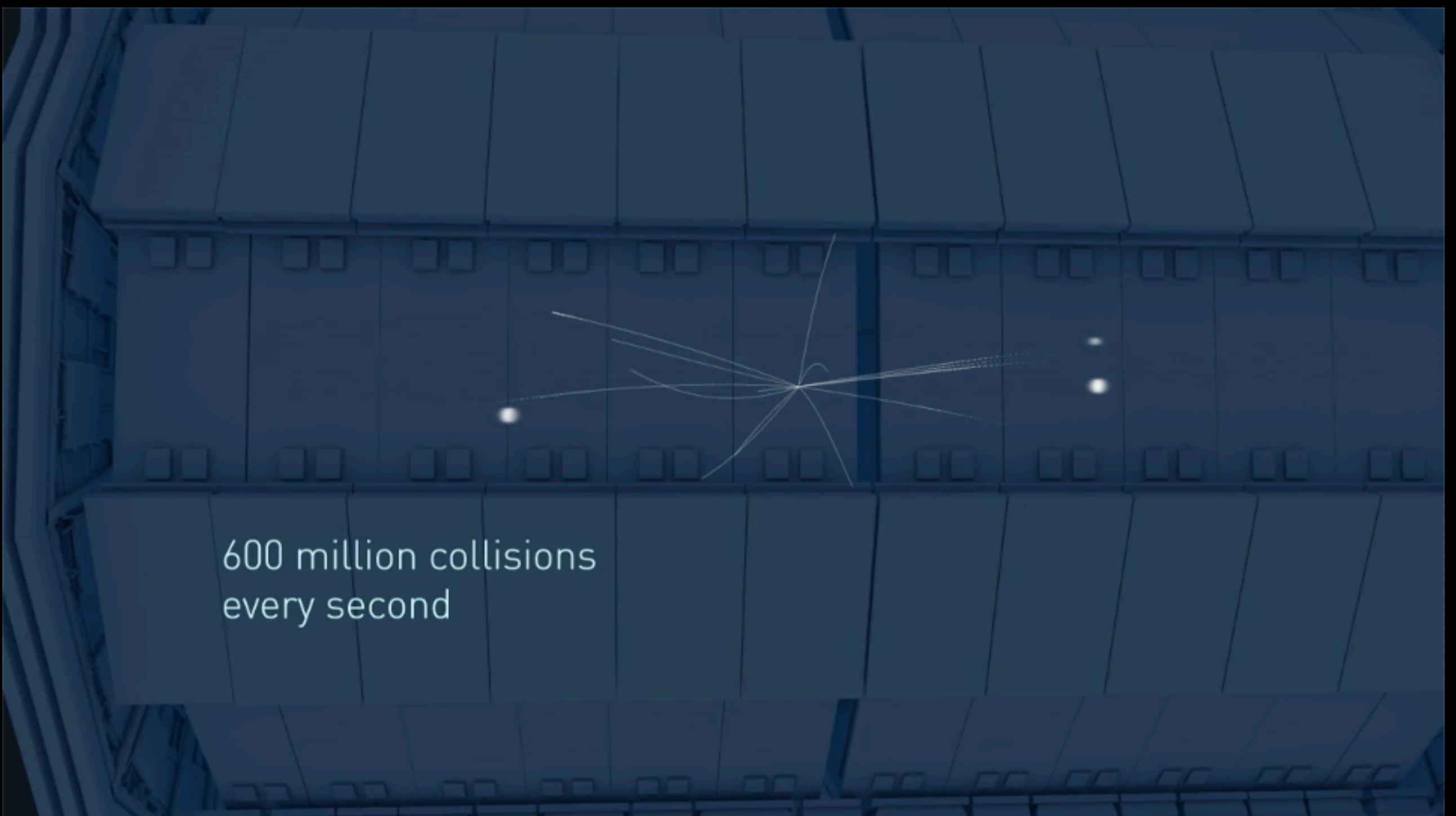
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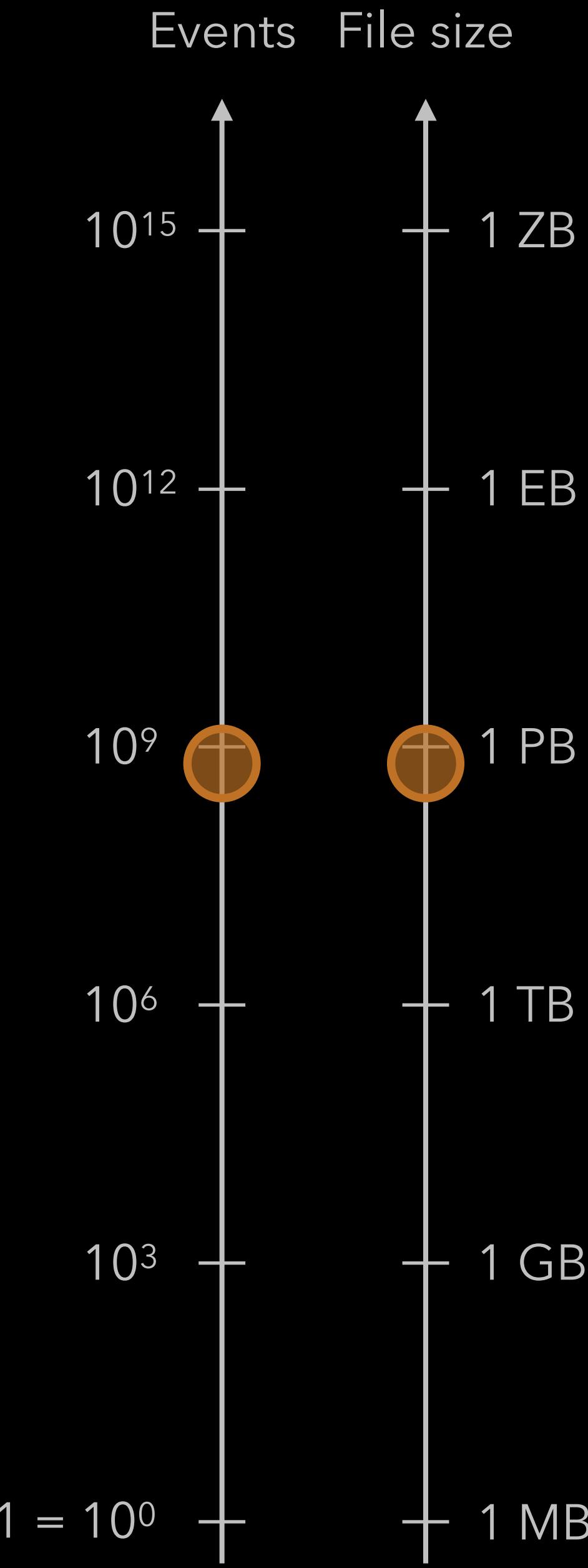
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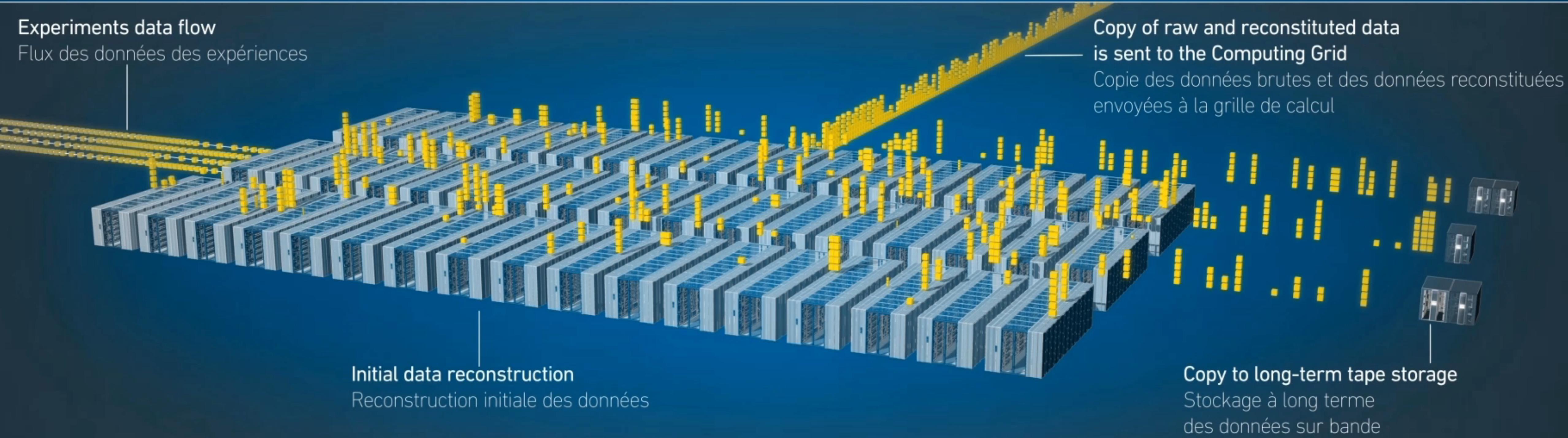
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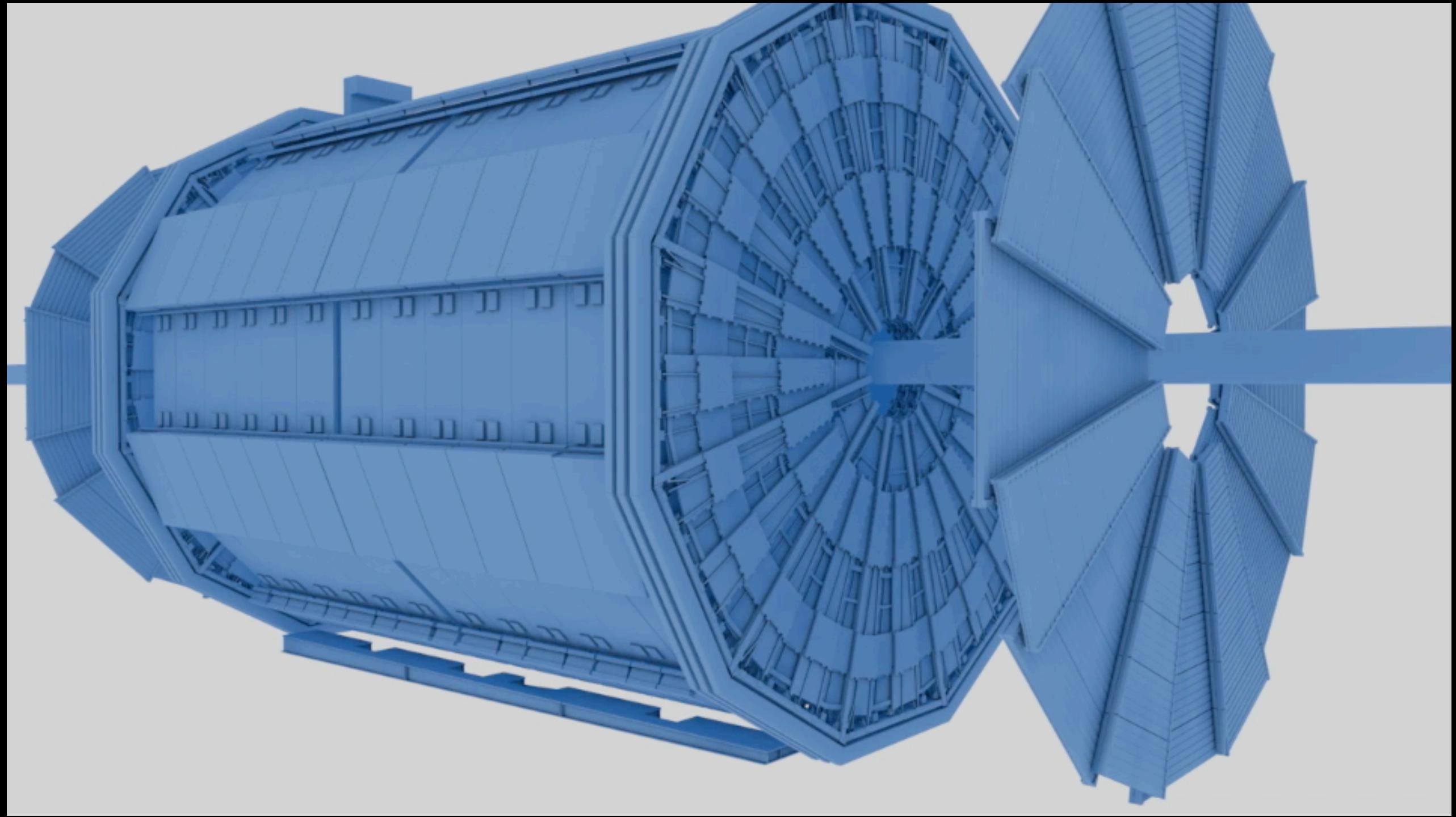
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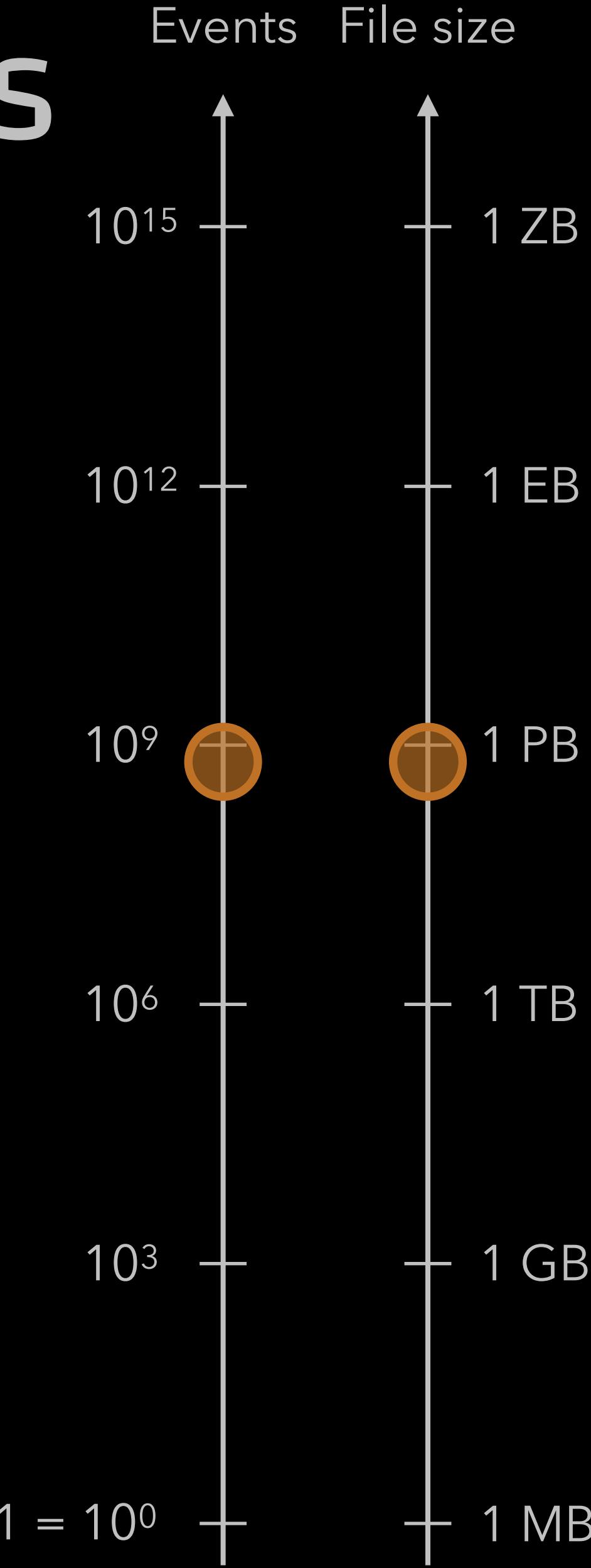
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- Copy to long term storage on tape
- Reconstruction at TIER0 data centre at CERN and Hungary

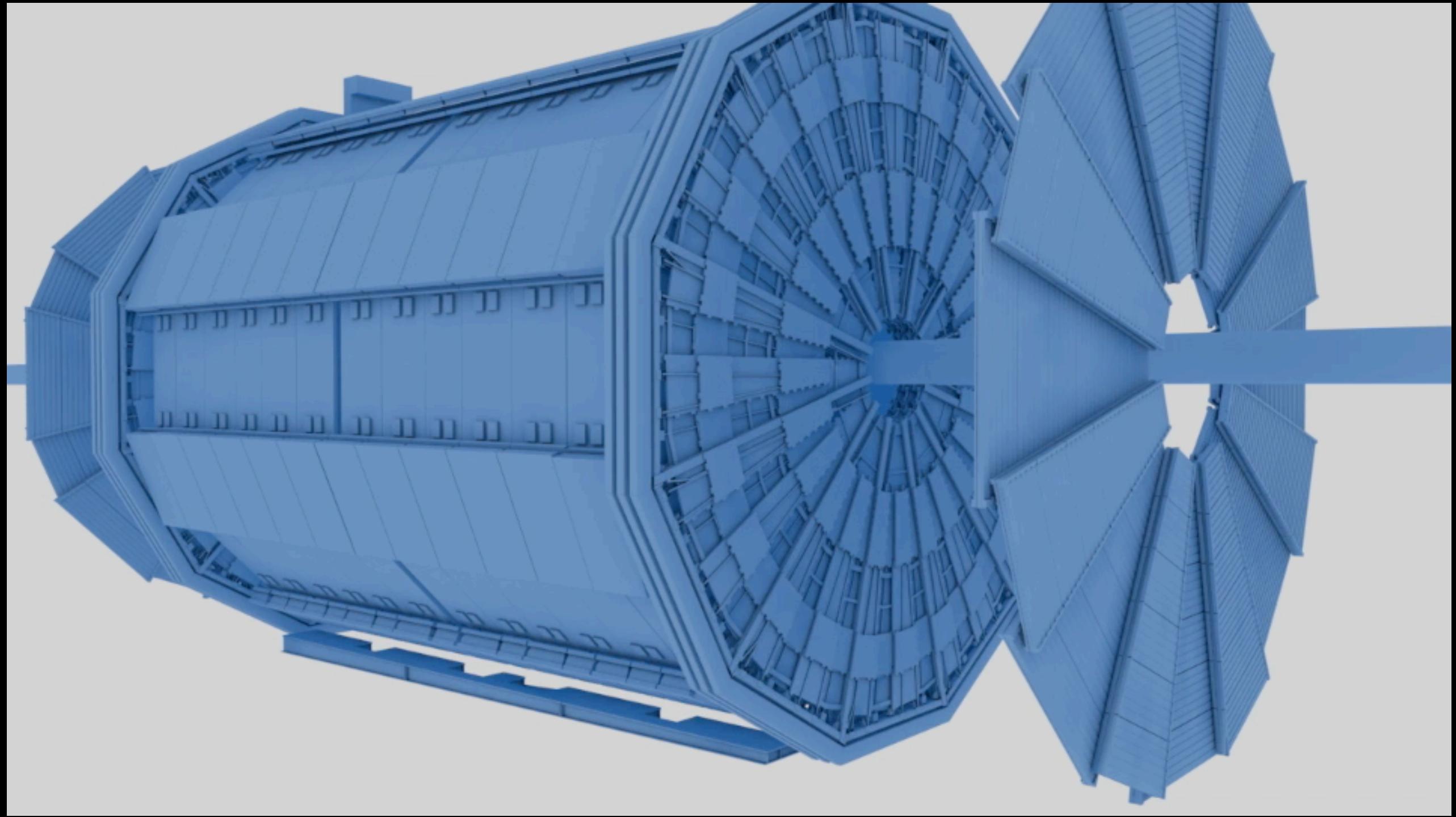
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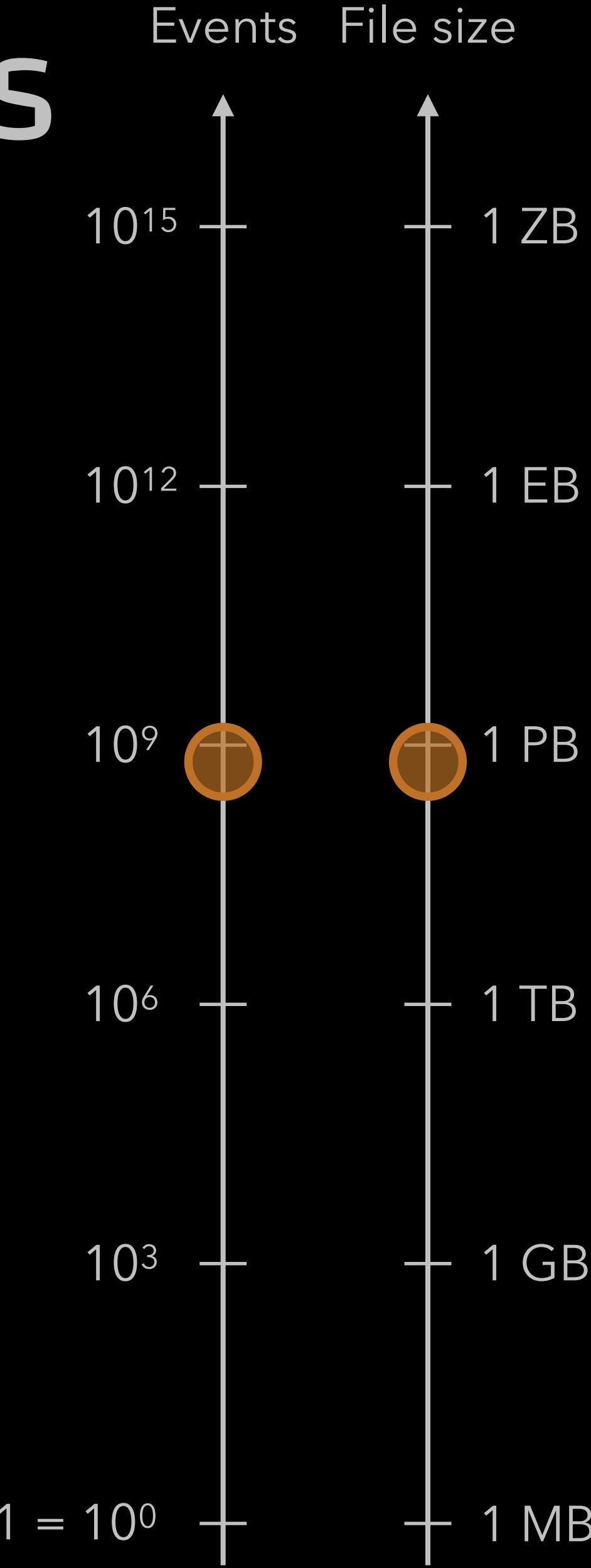
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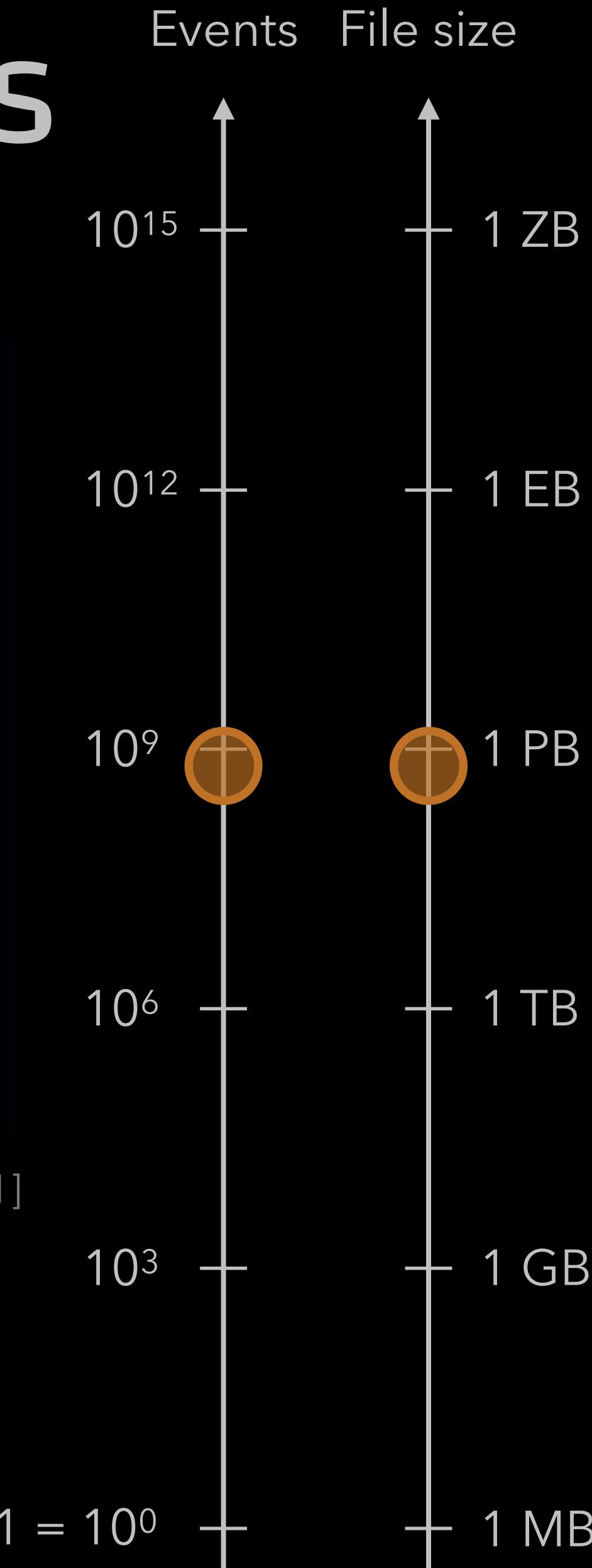
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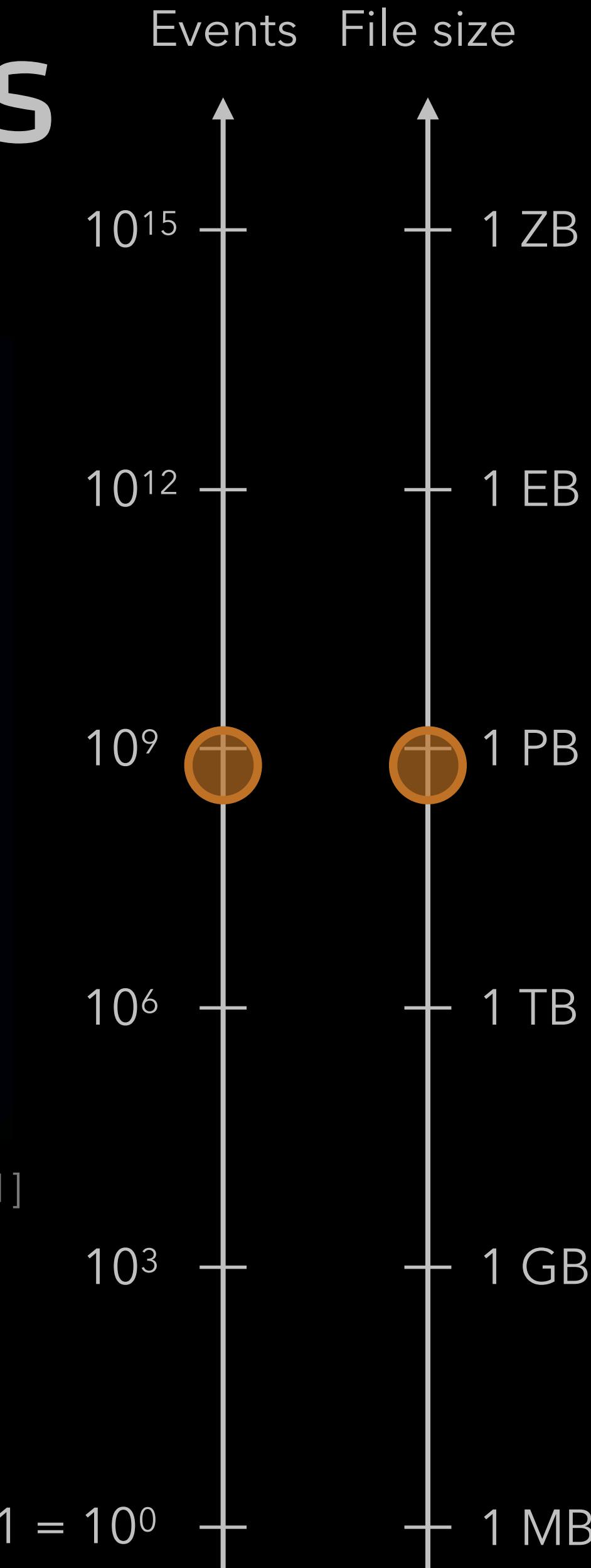
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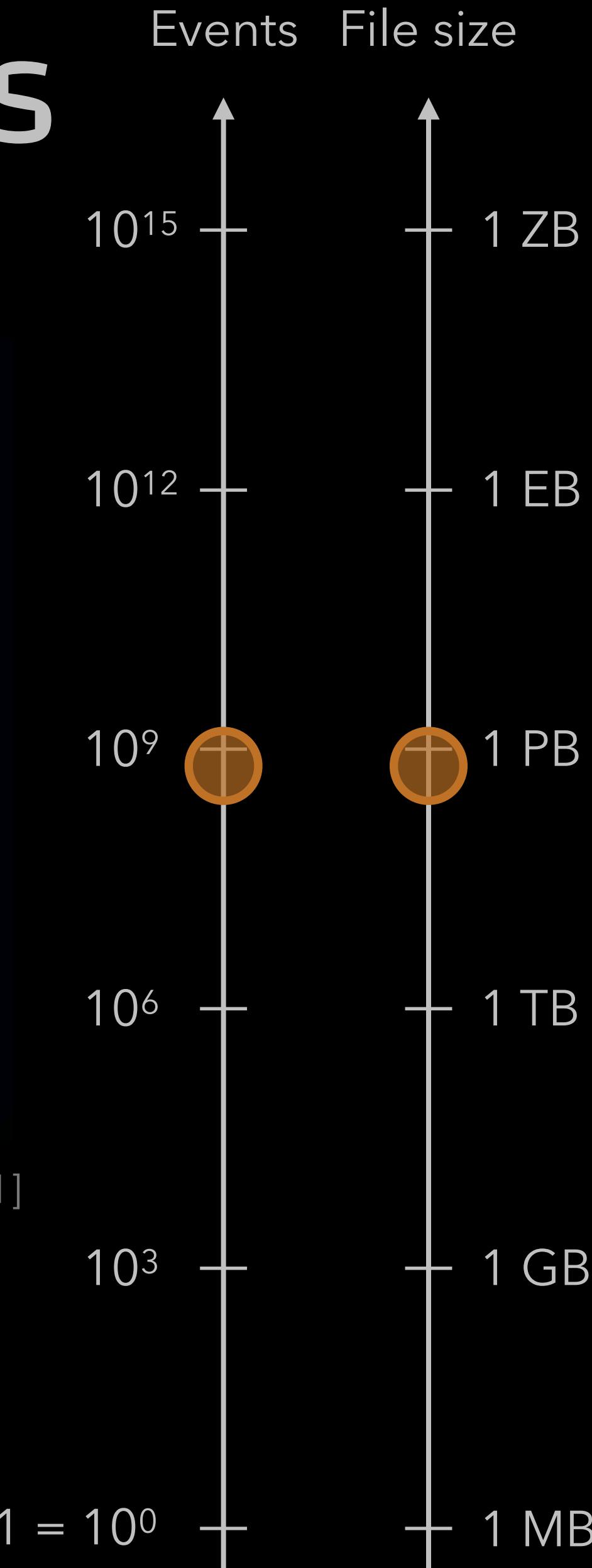
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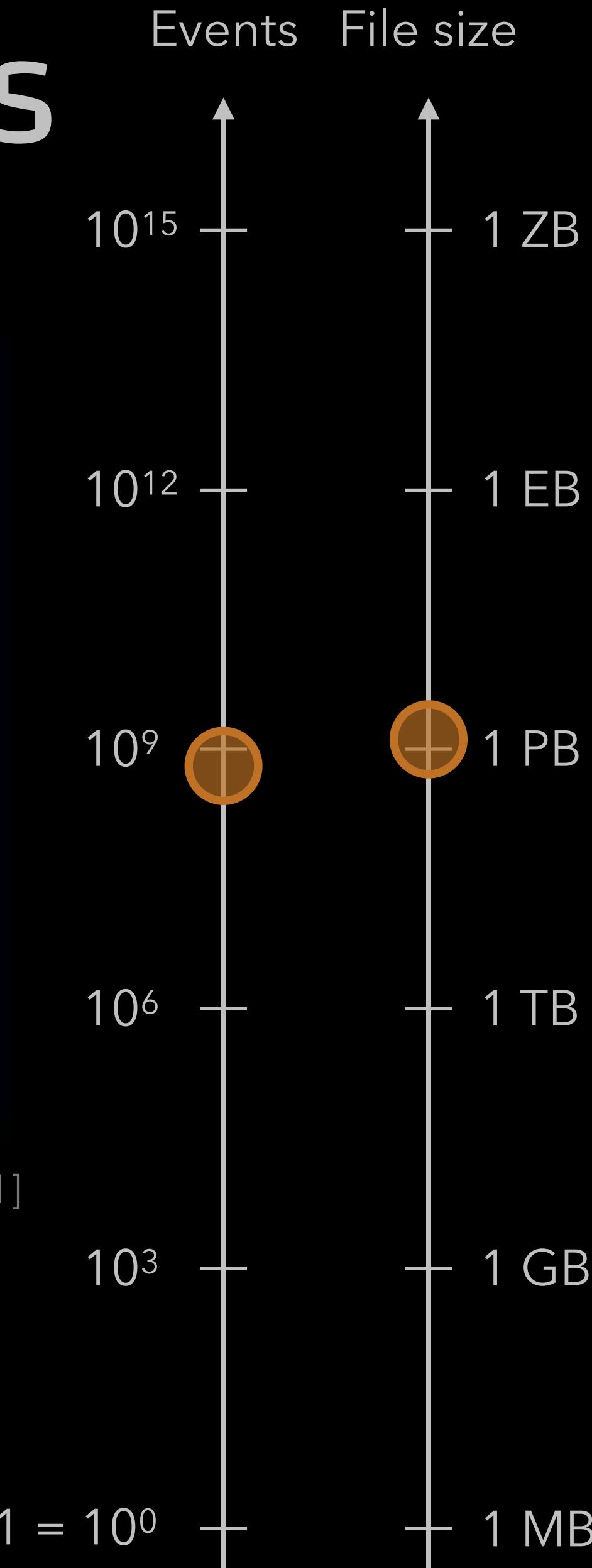
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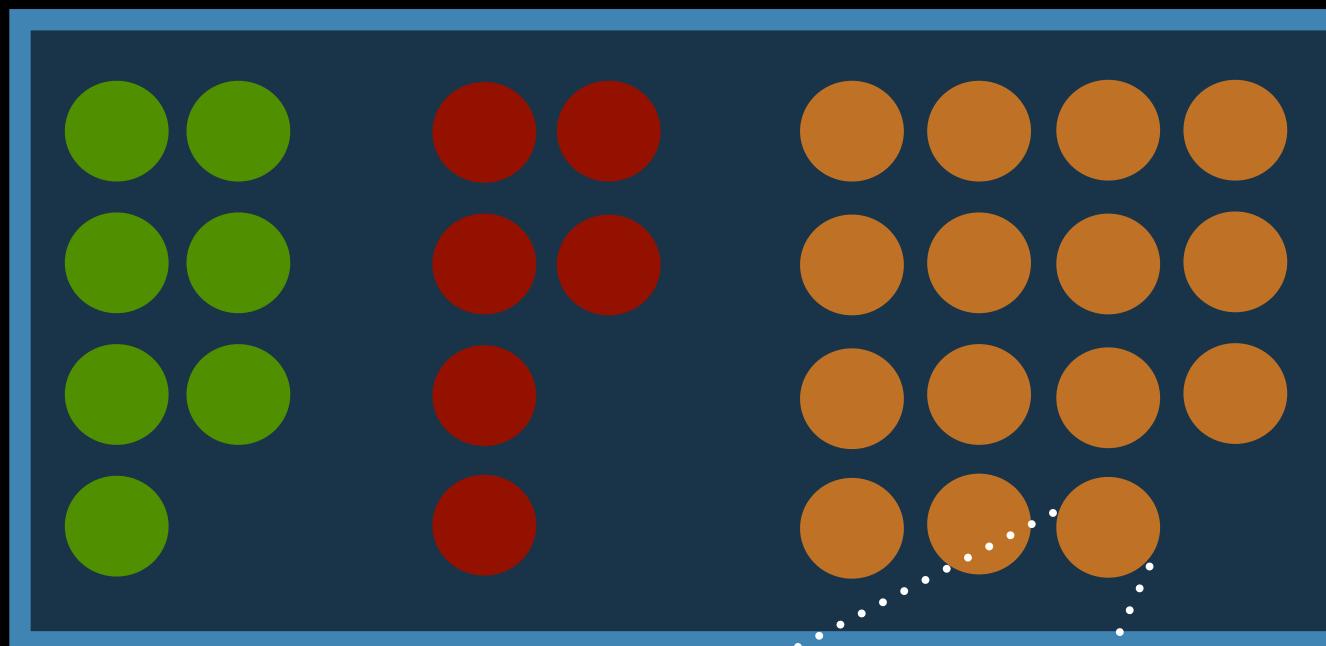
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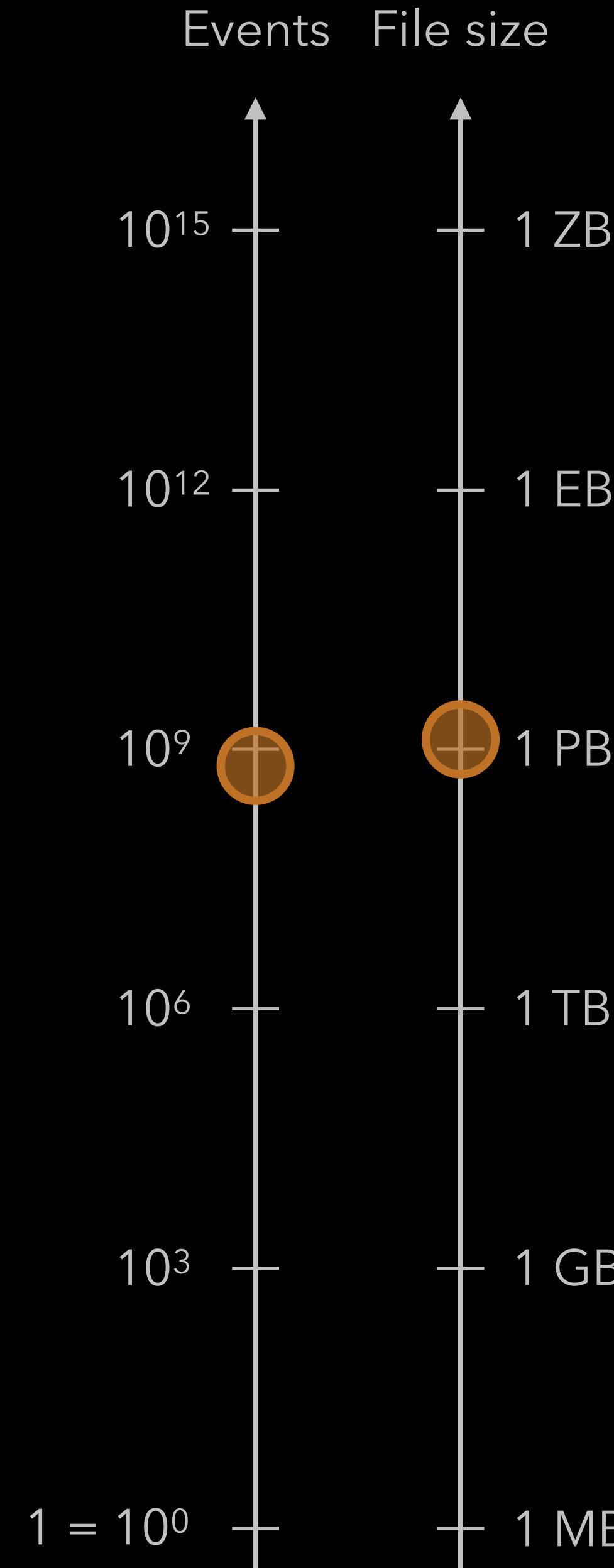
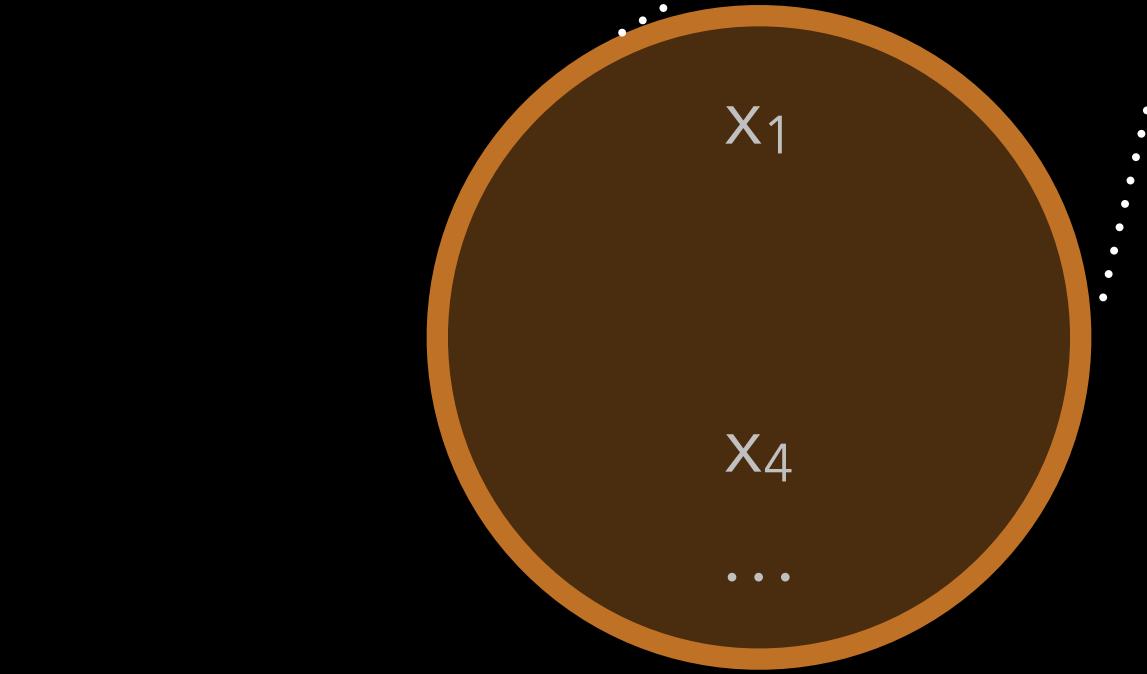
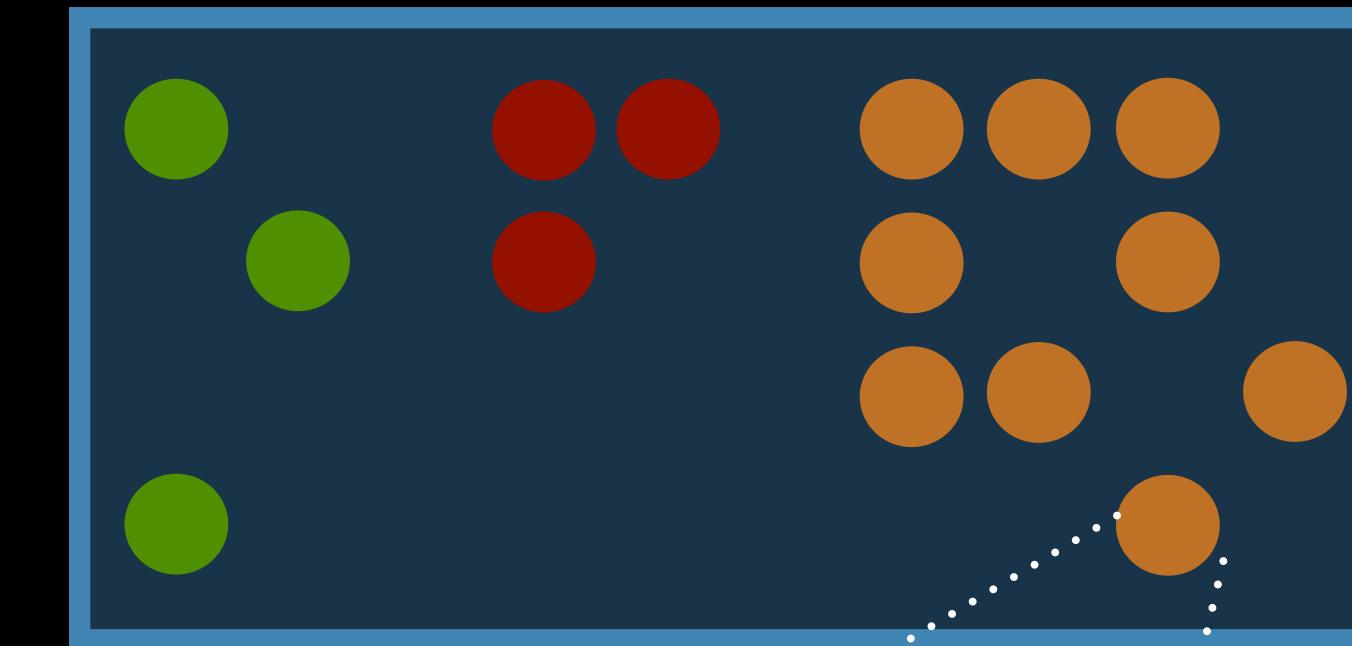
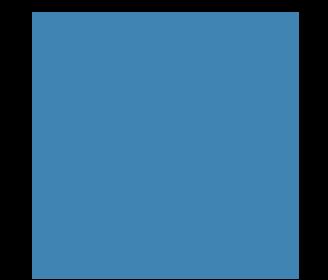
[Inspired by slide from James Catmore]



remove events

remove analysis objects

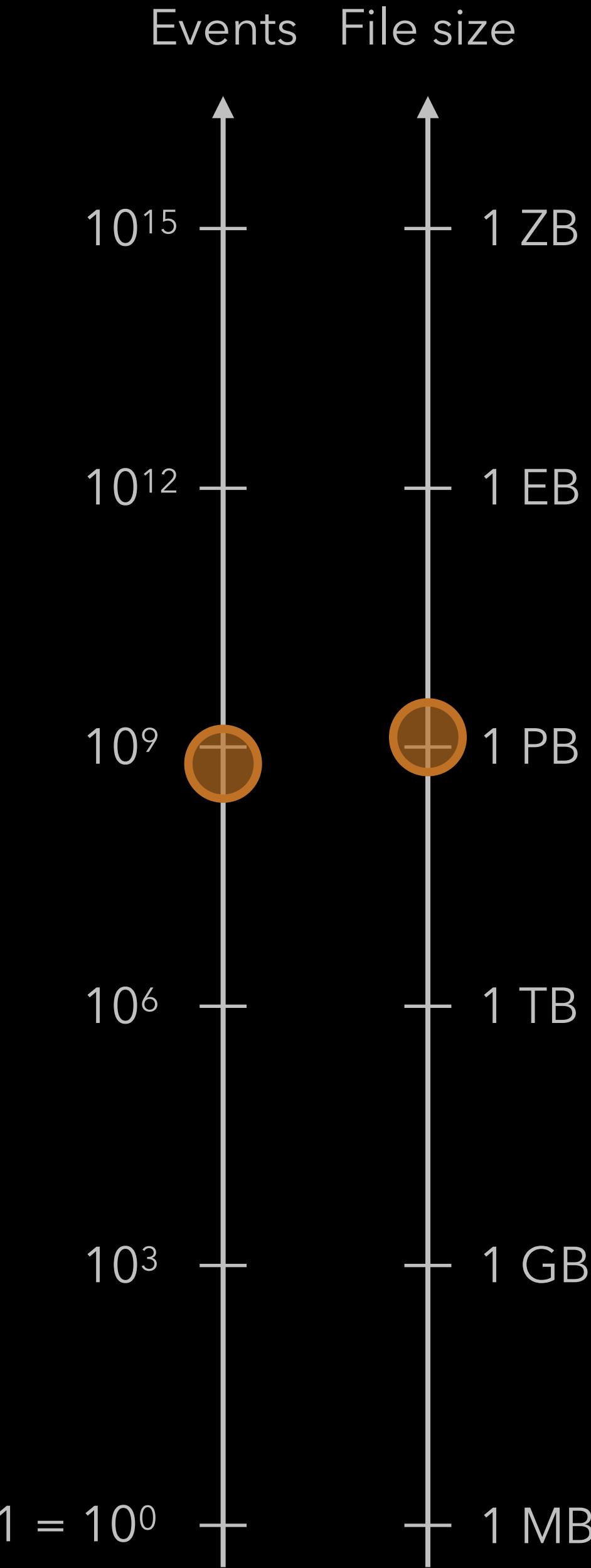
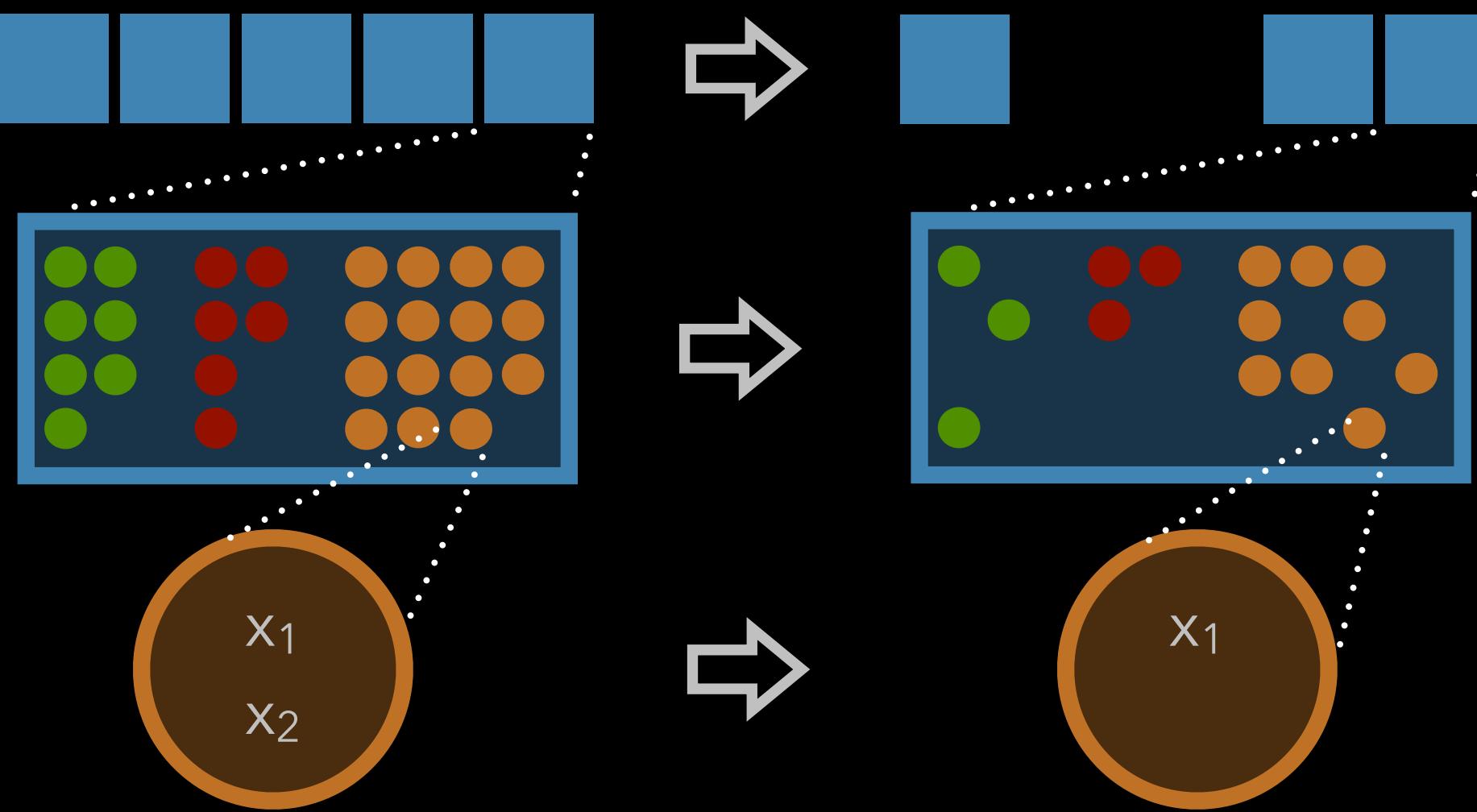
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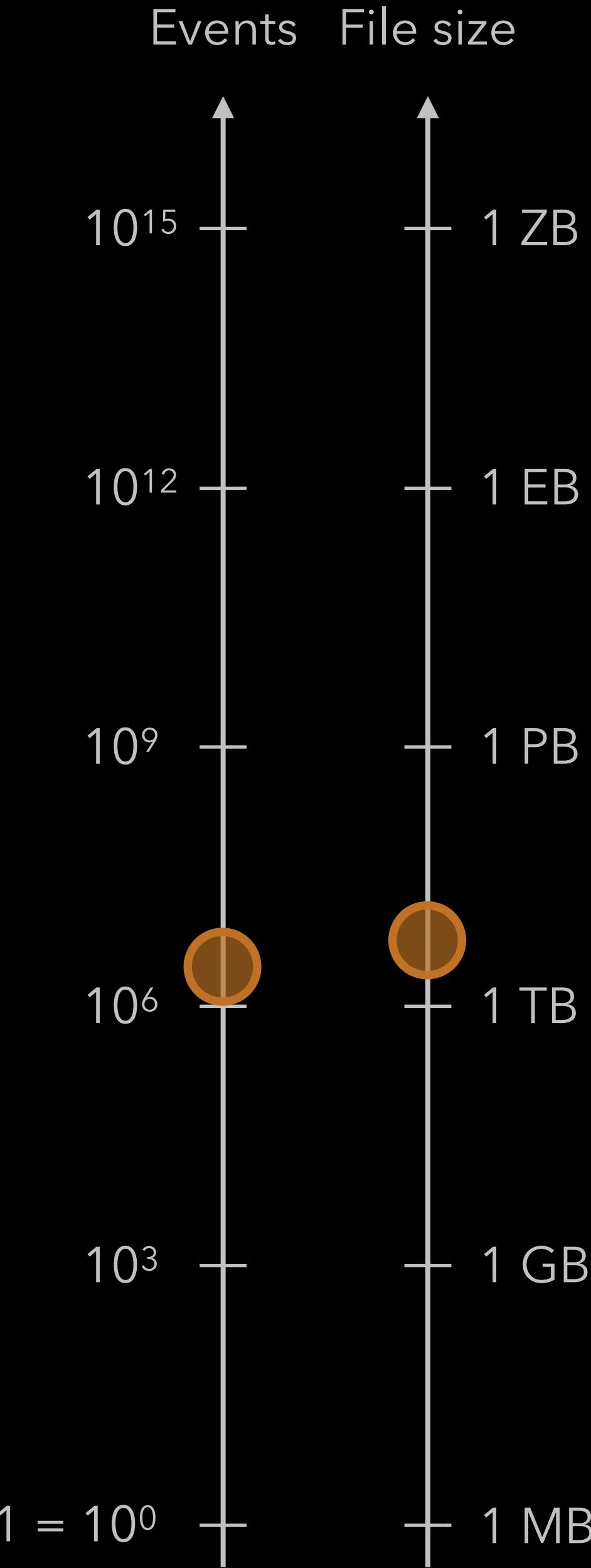
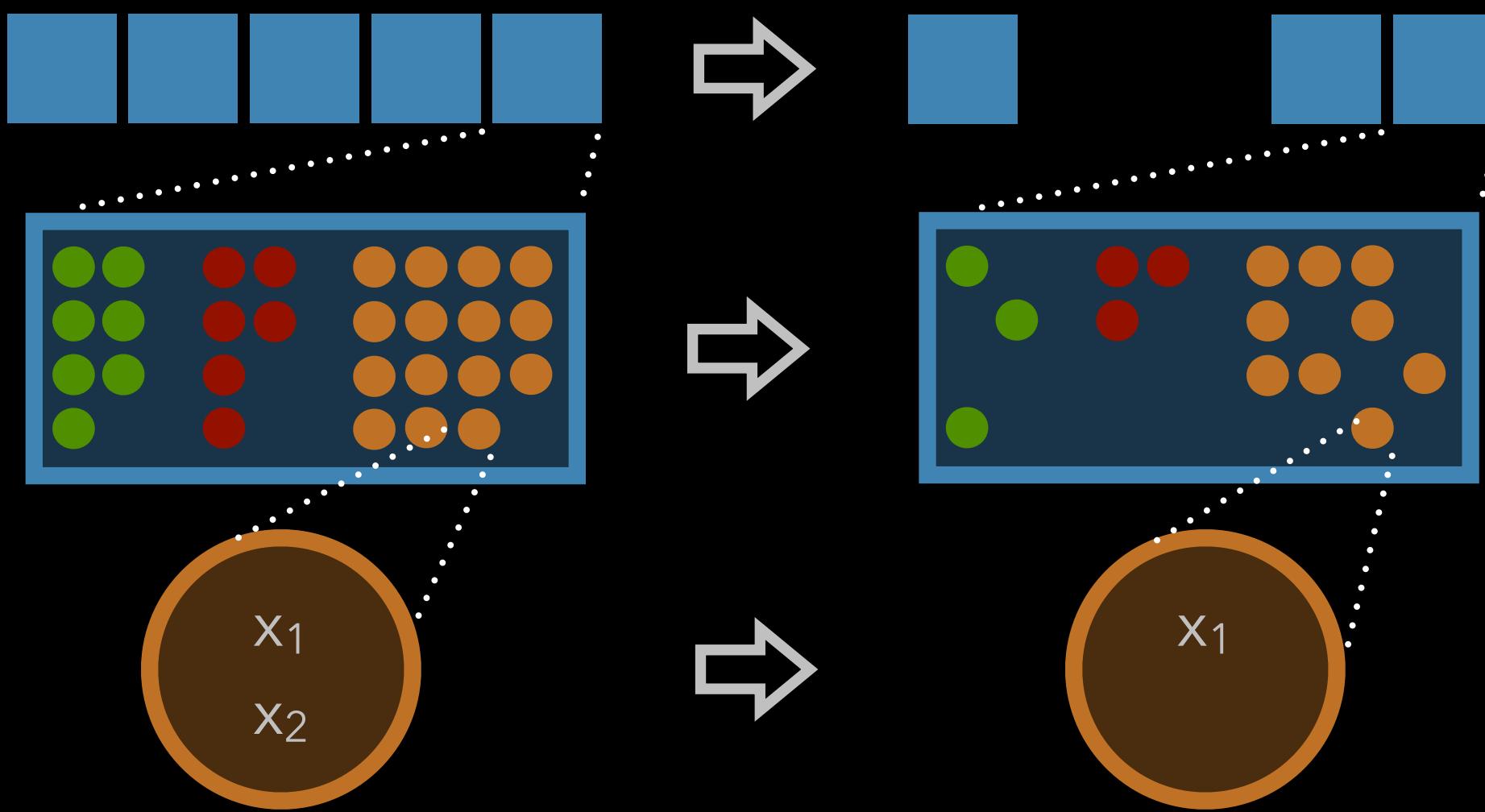
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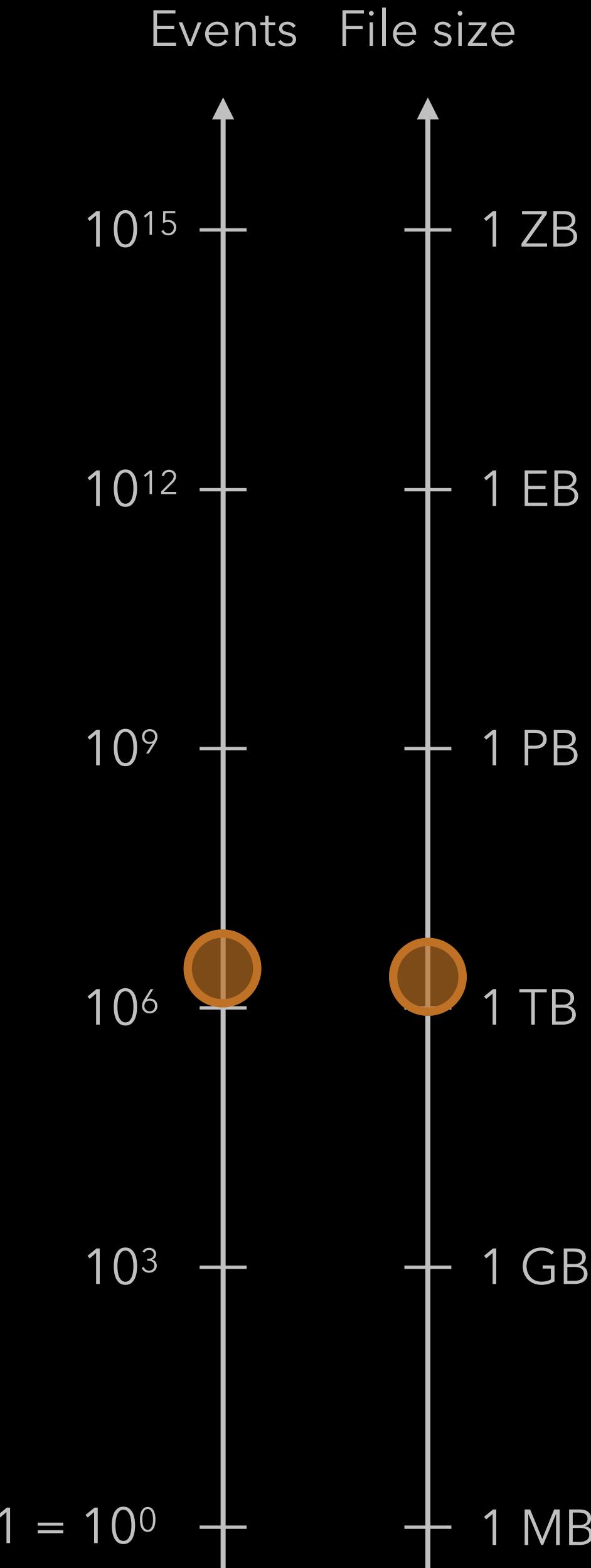
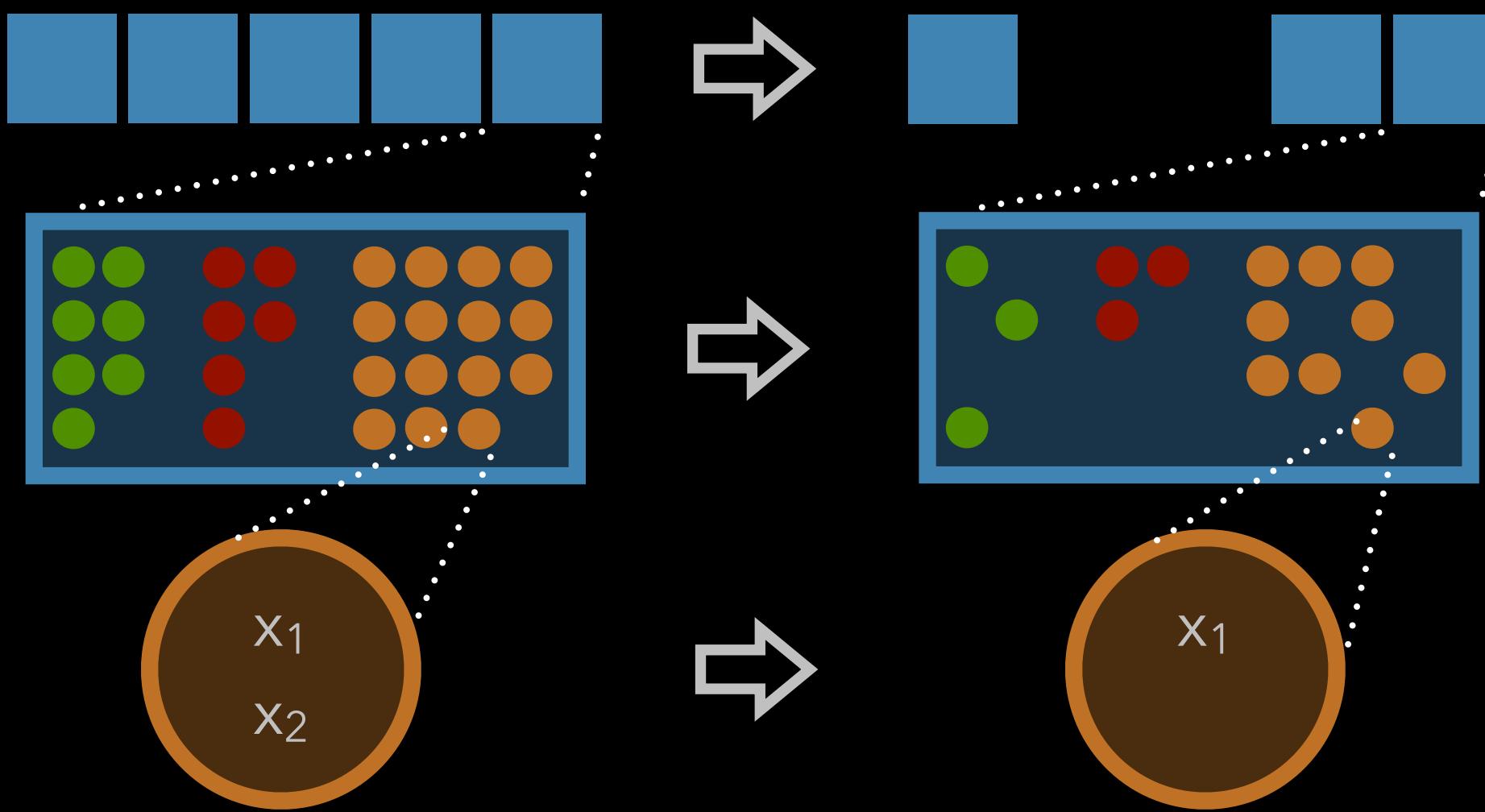
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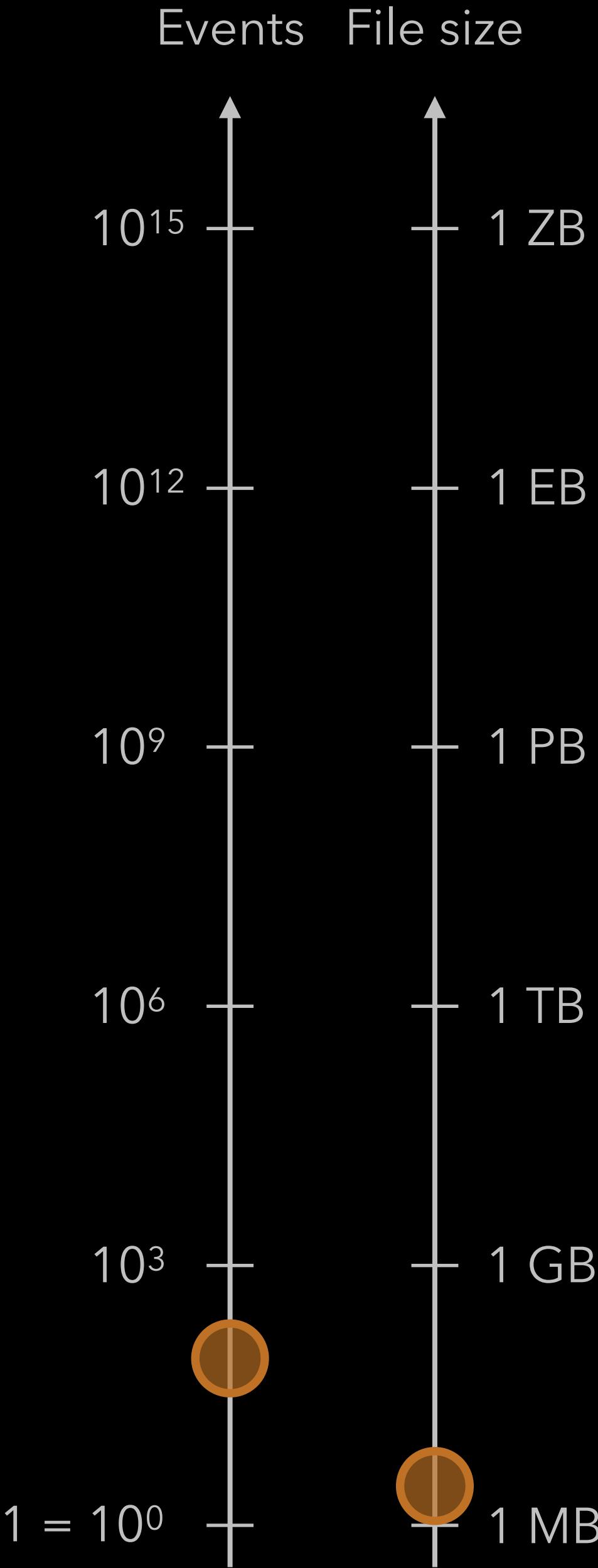
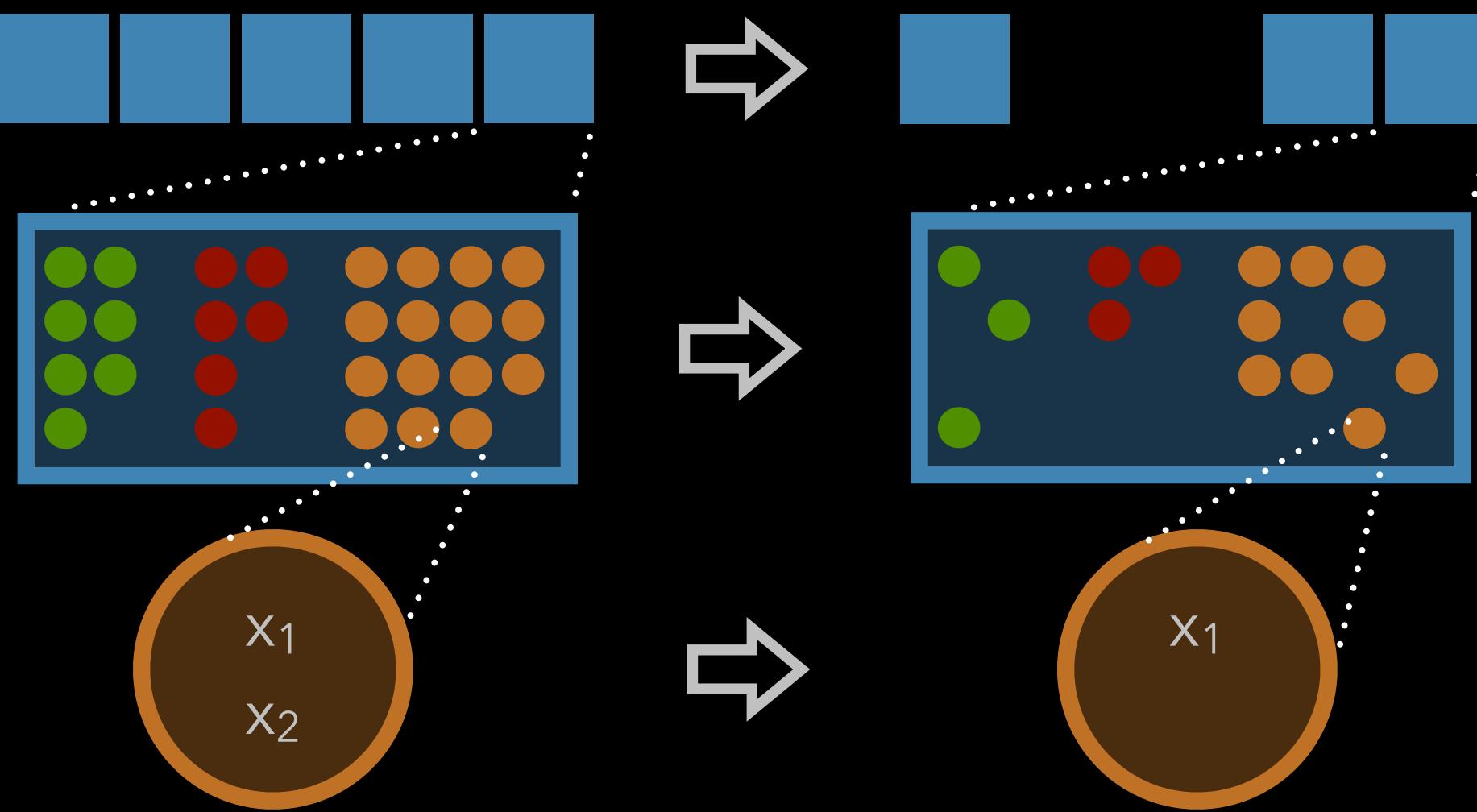
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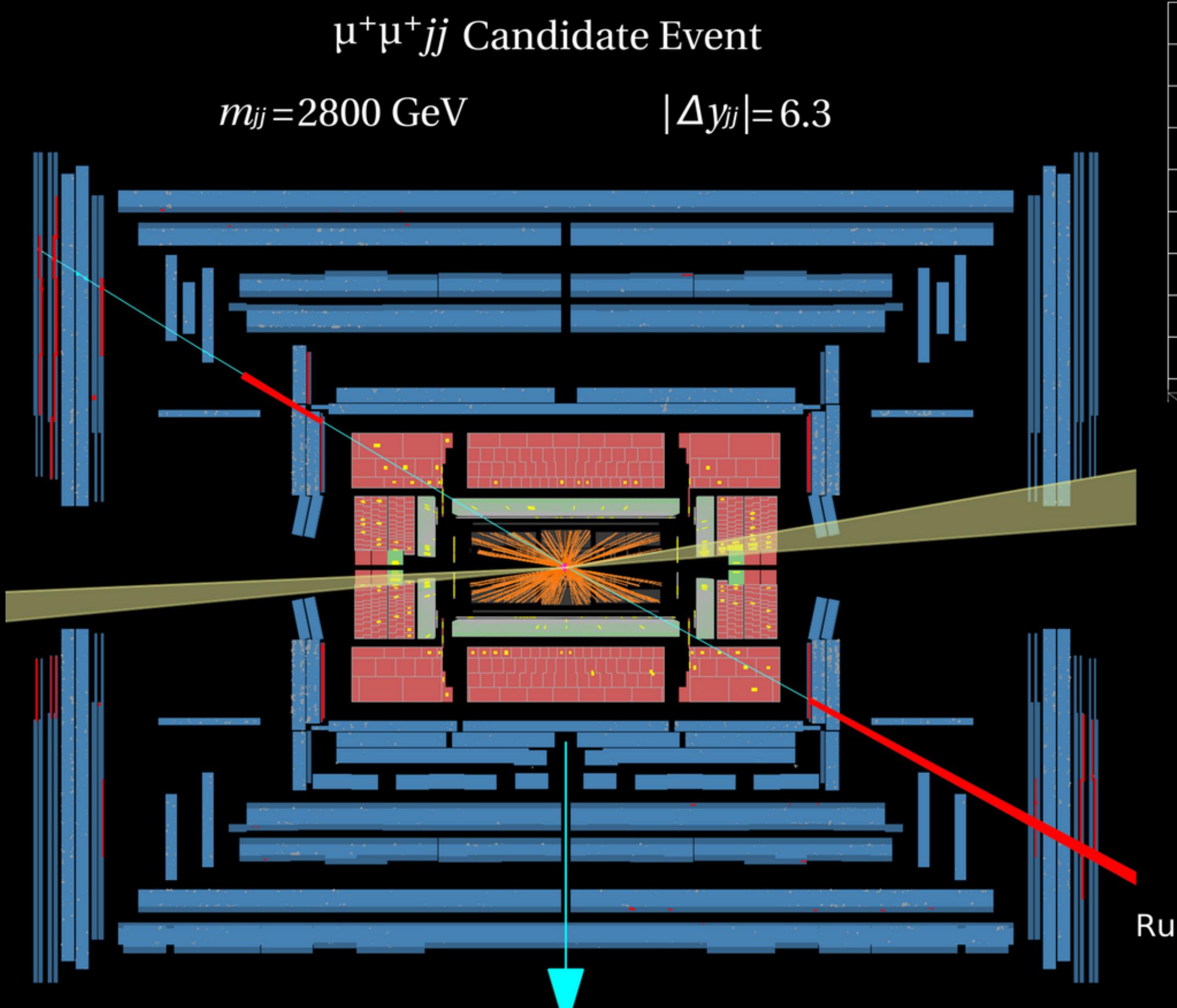
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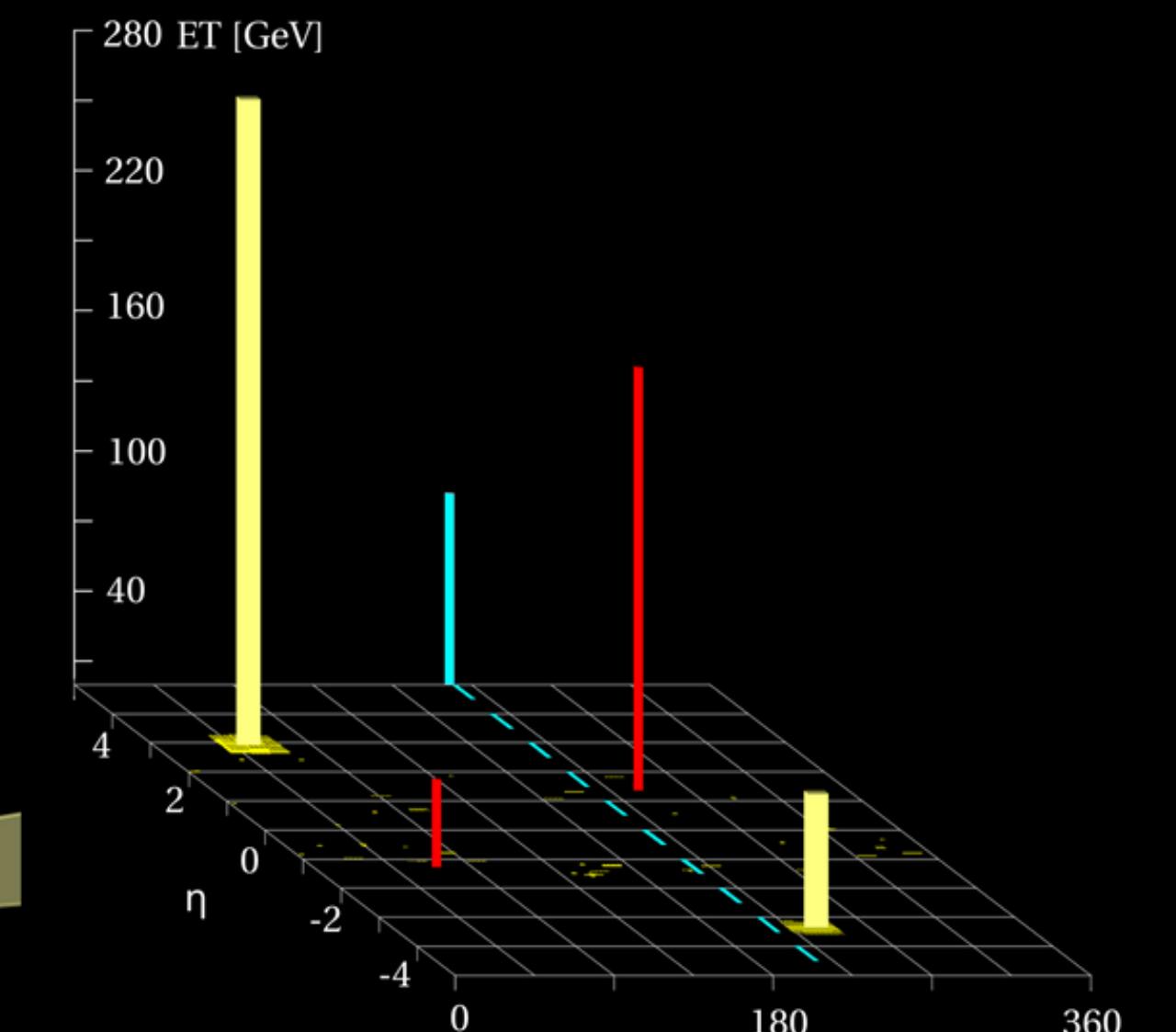
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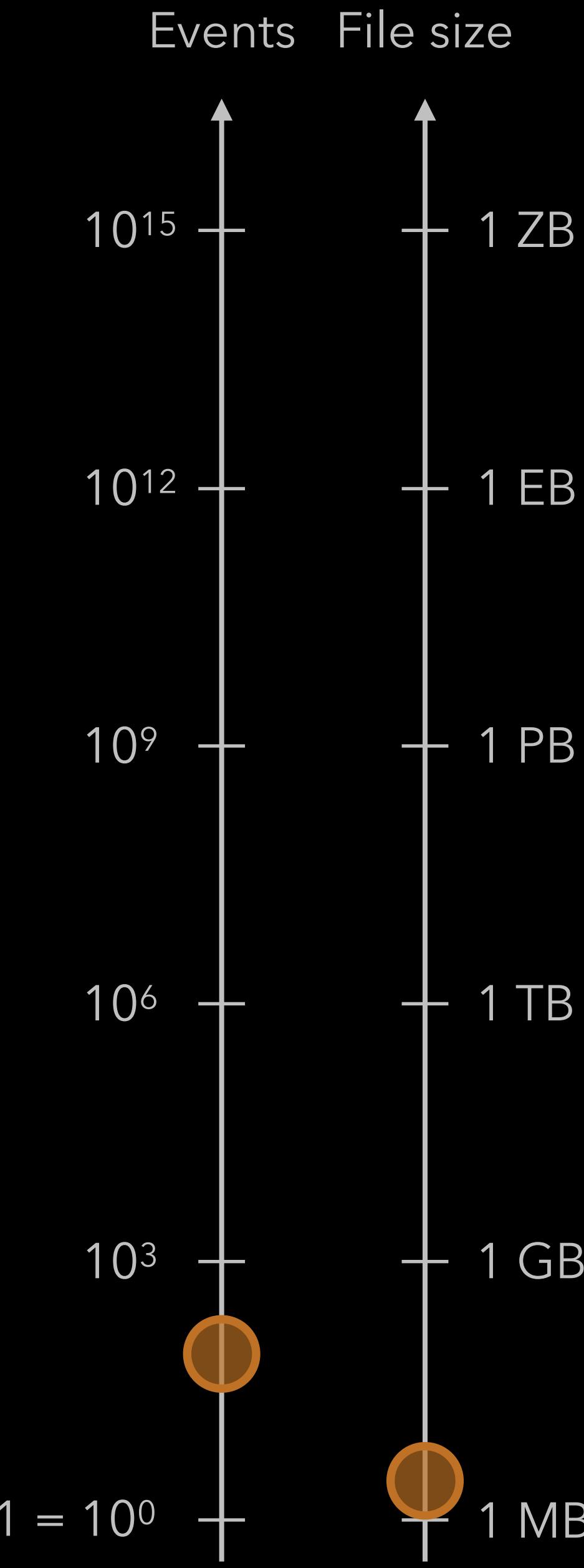
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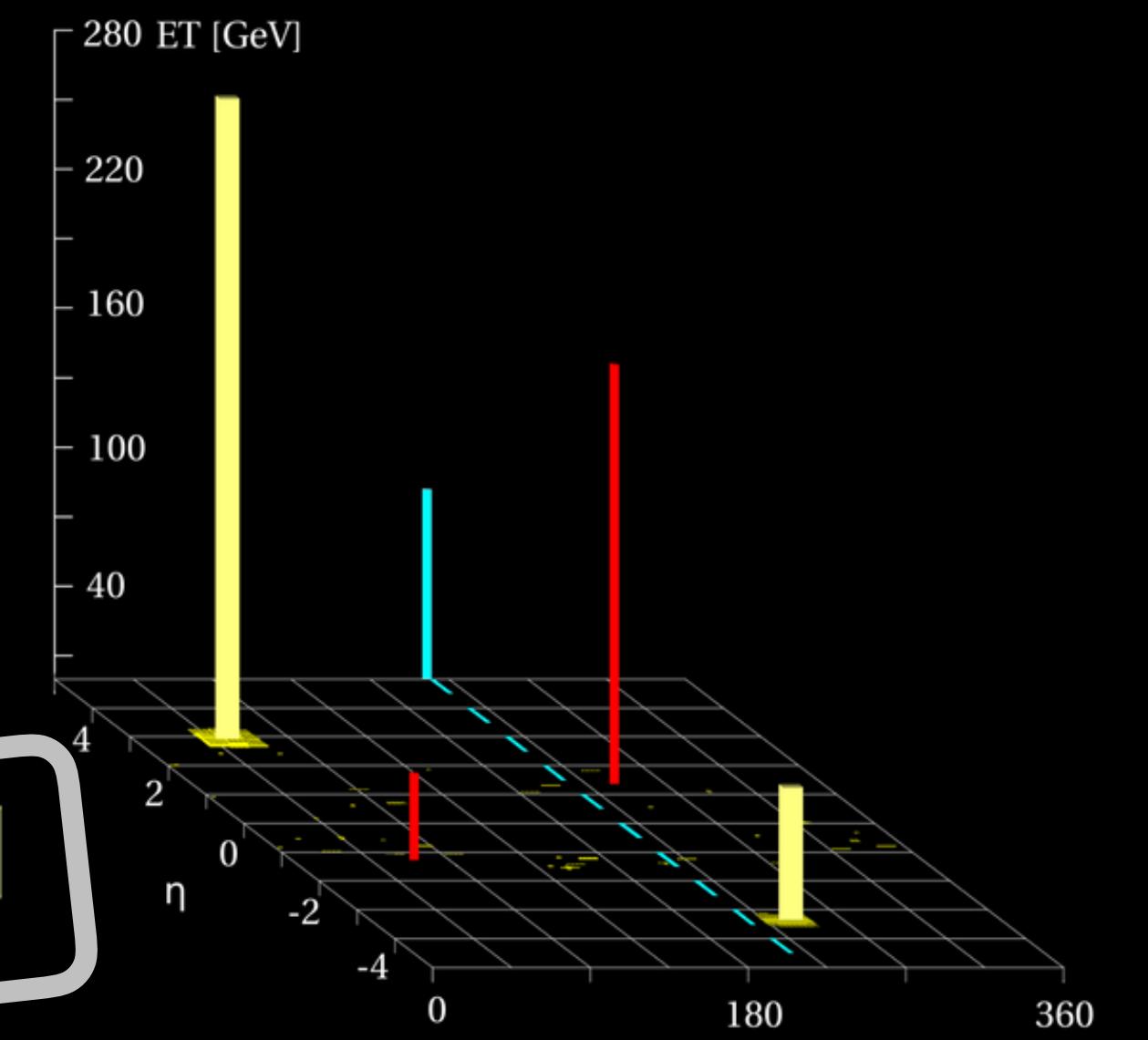
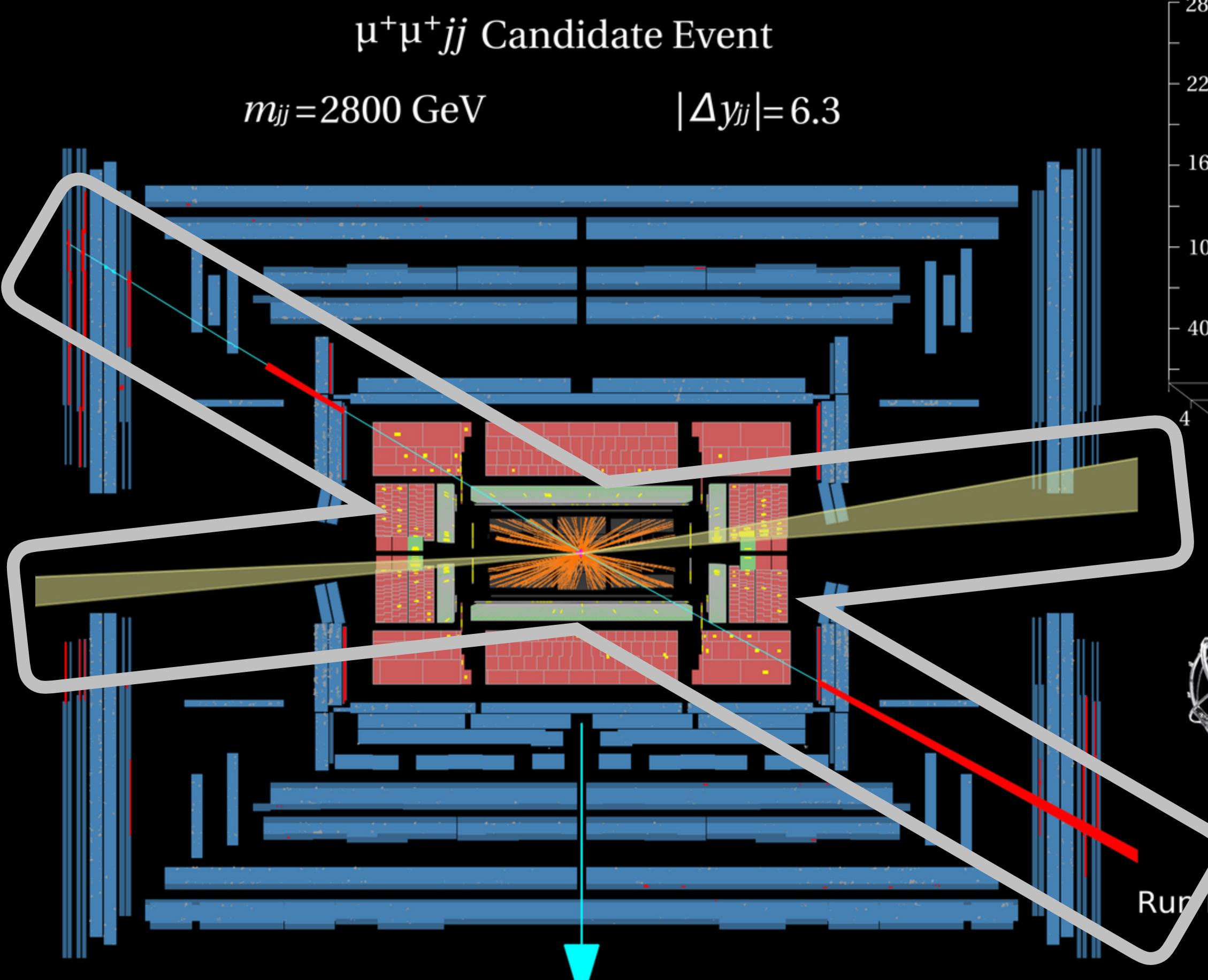
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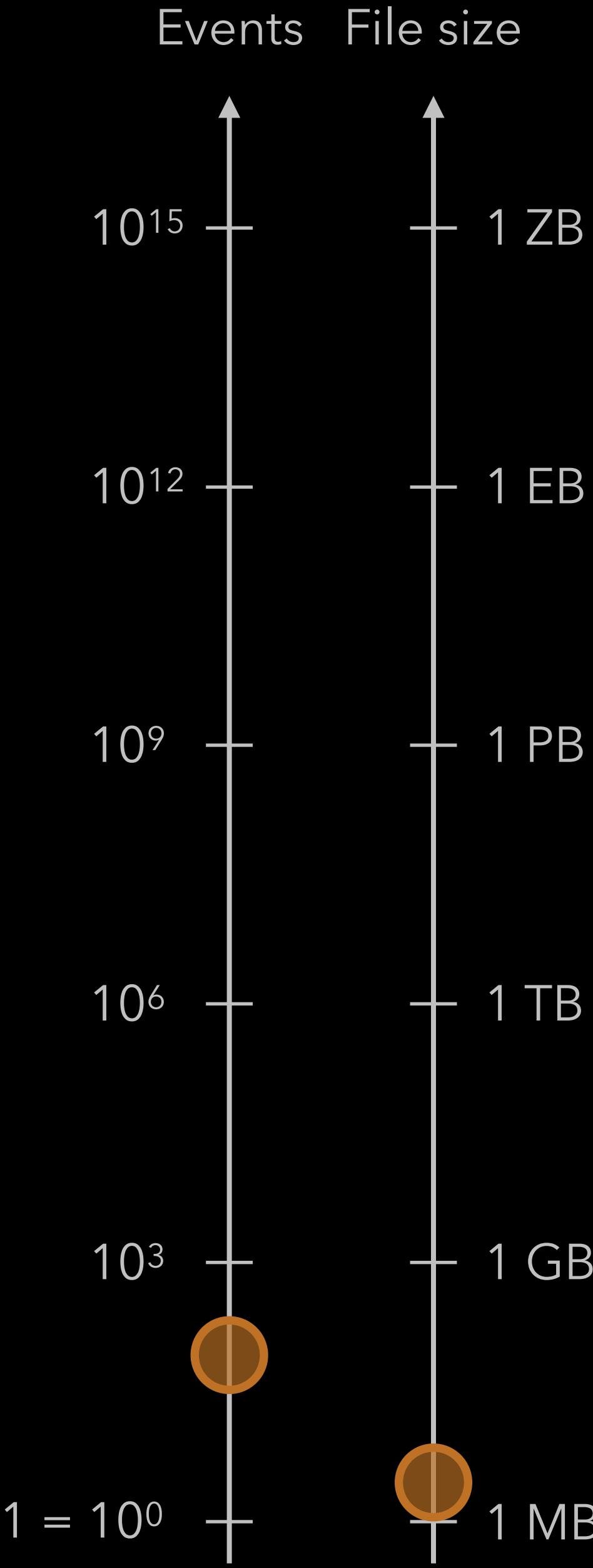


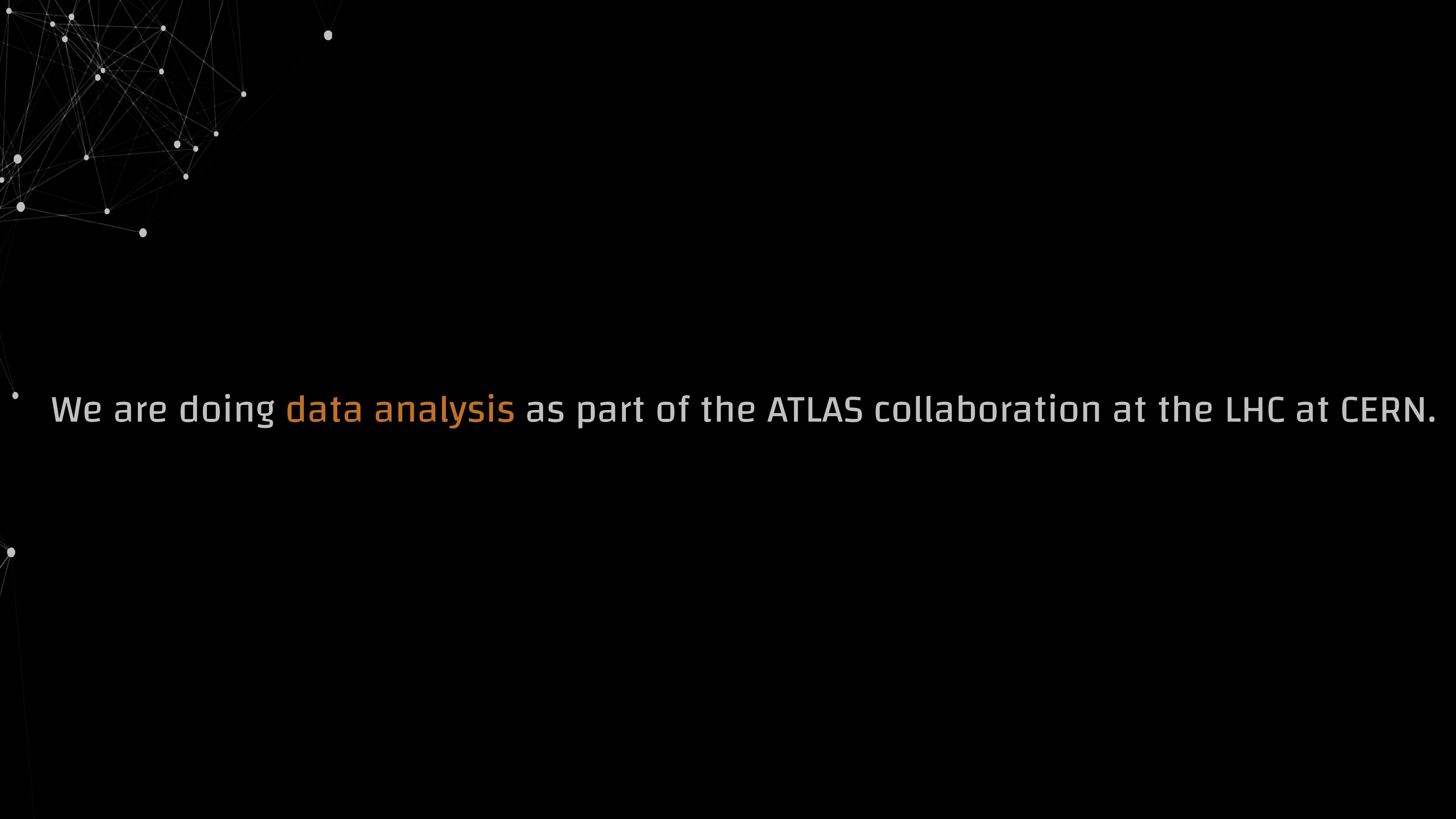
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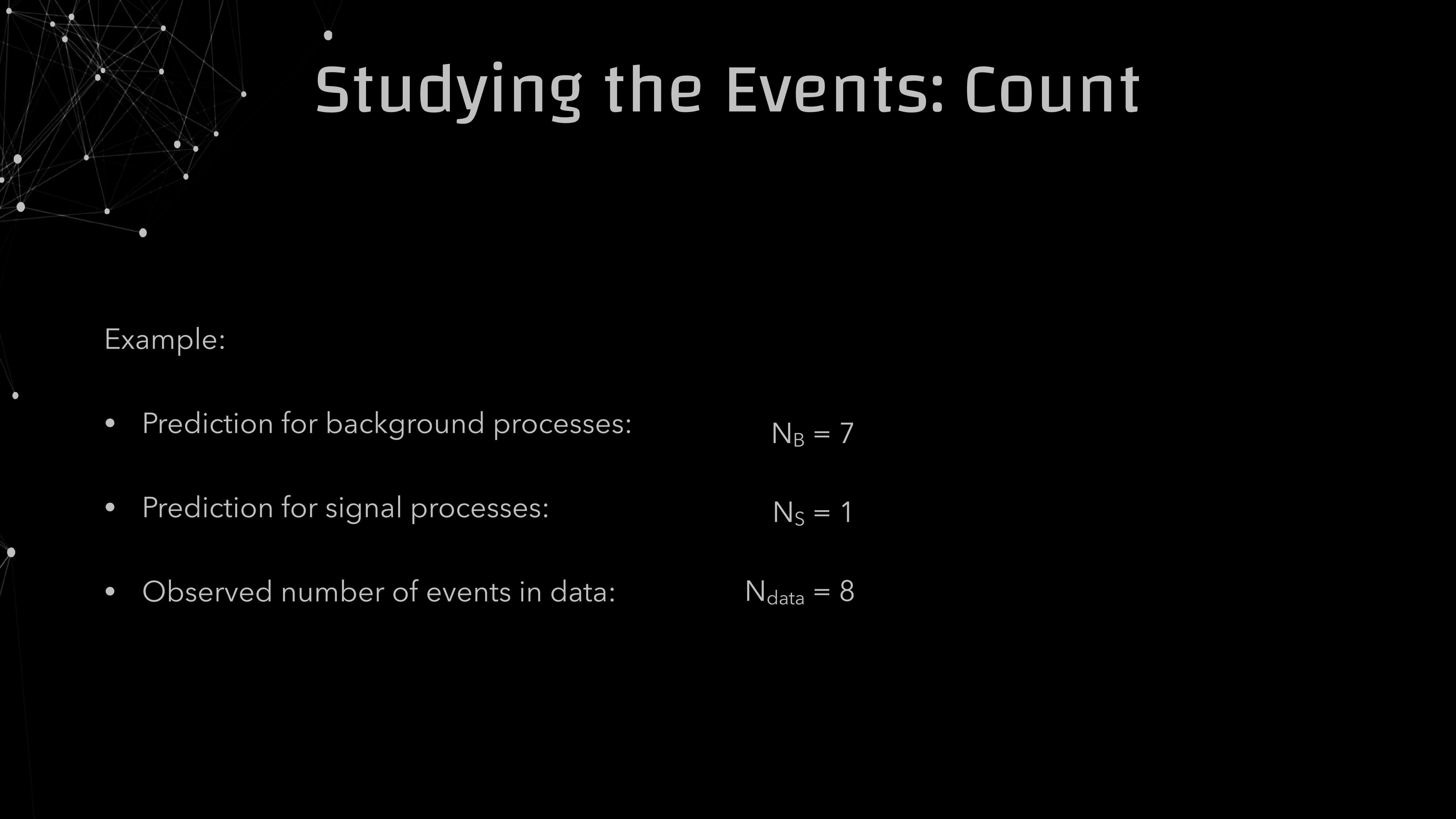
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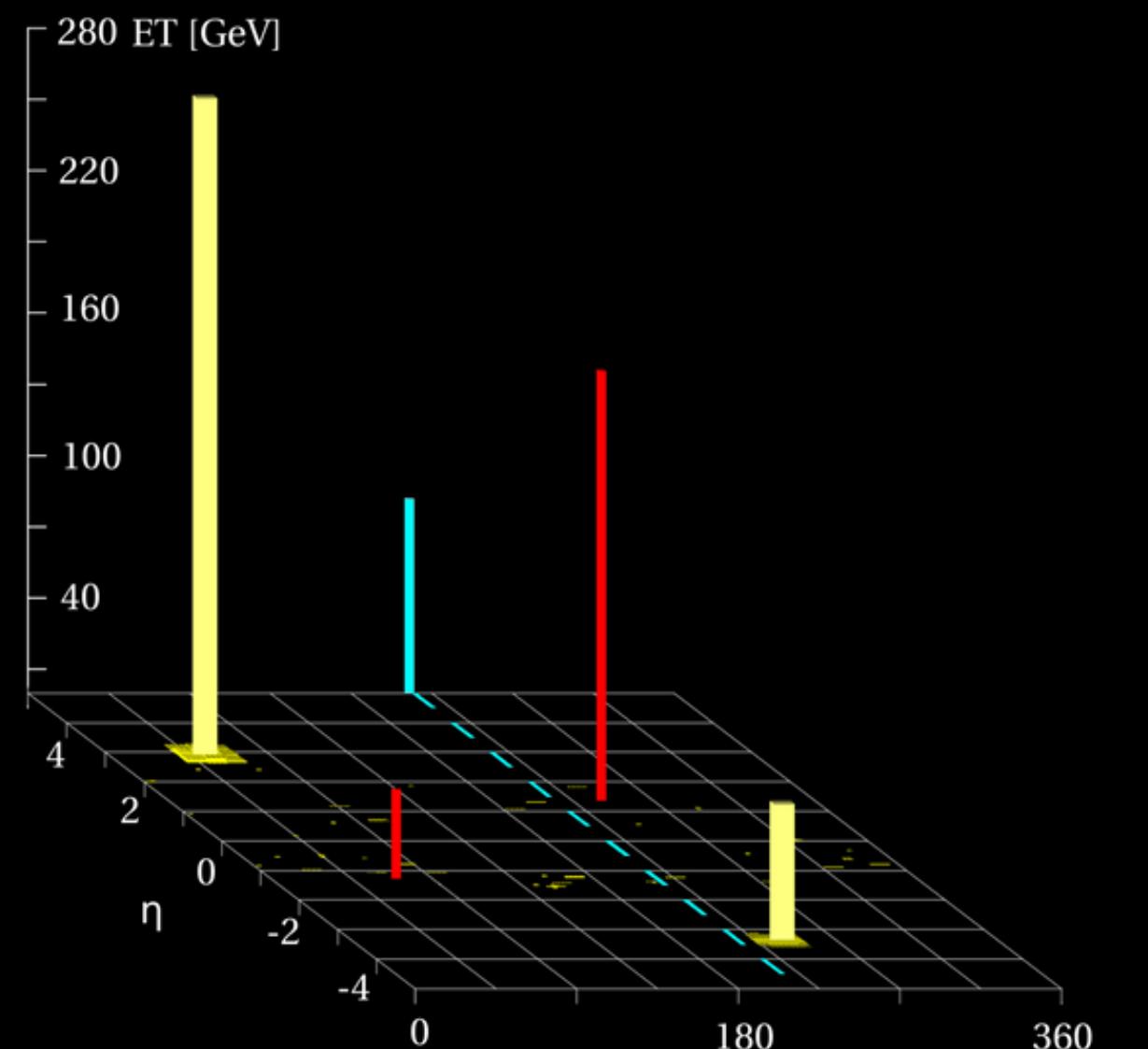
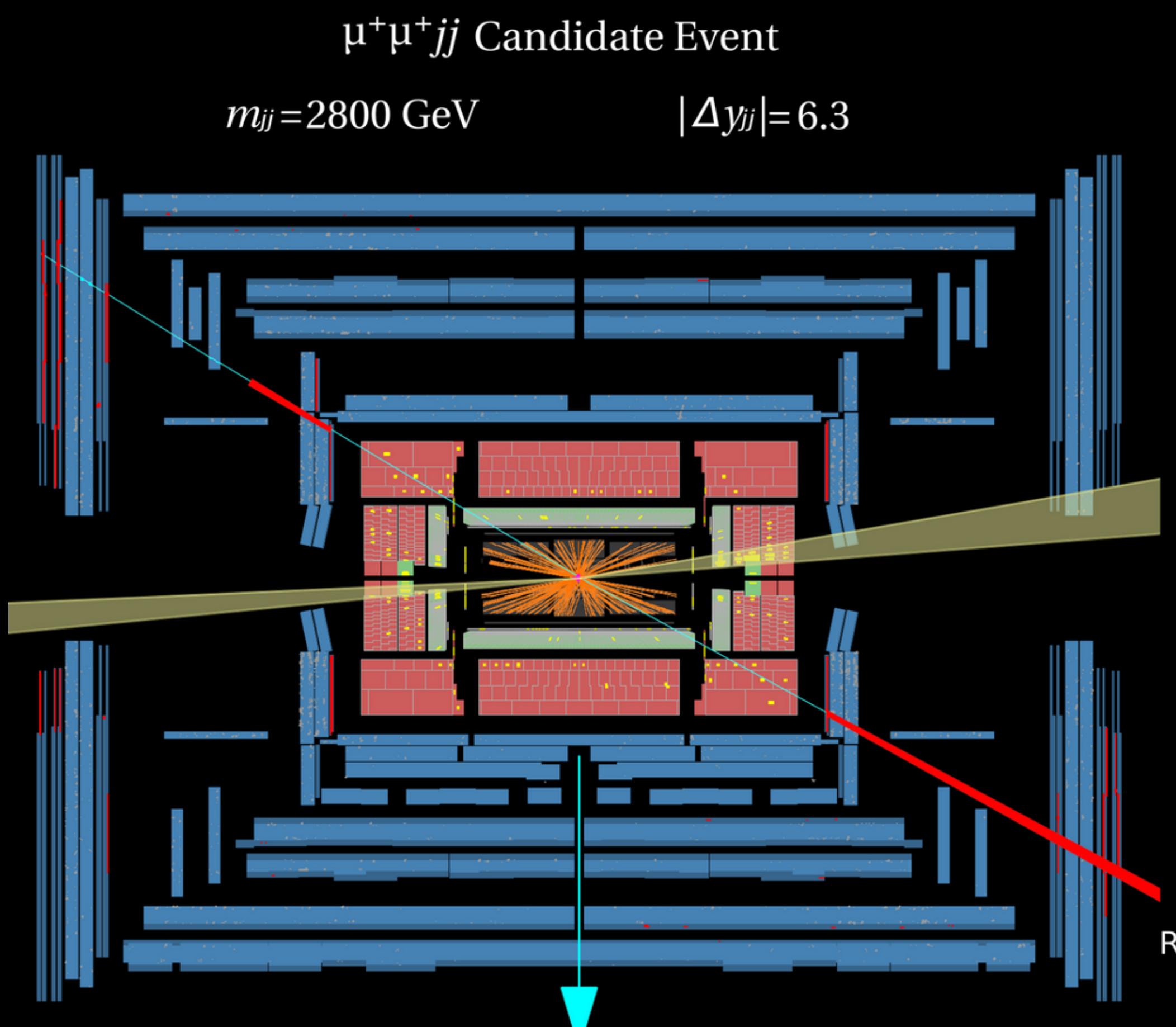


# Studying the Events: Count

Example:

- Prediction for background processes:  $N_B = 7$
- Prediction for signal processes:  $N_S = 1$
- Observed number of events in data:  $N_{\text{data}} = 8$

# Studying the Events: Kinematic

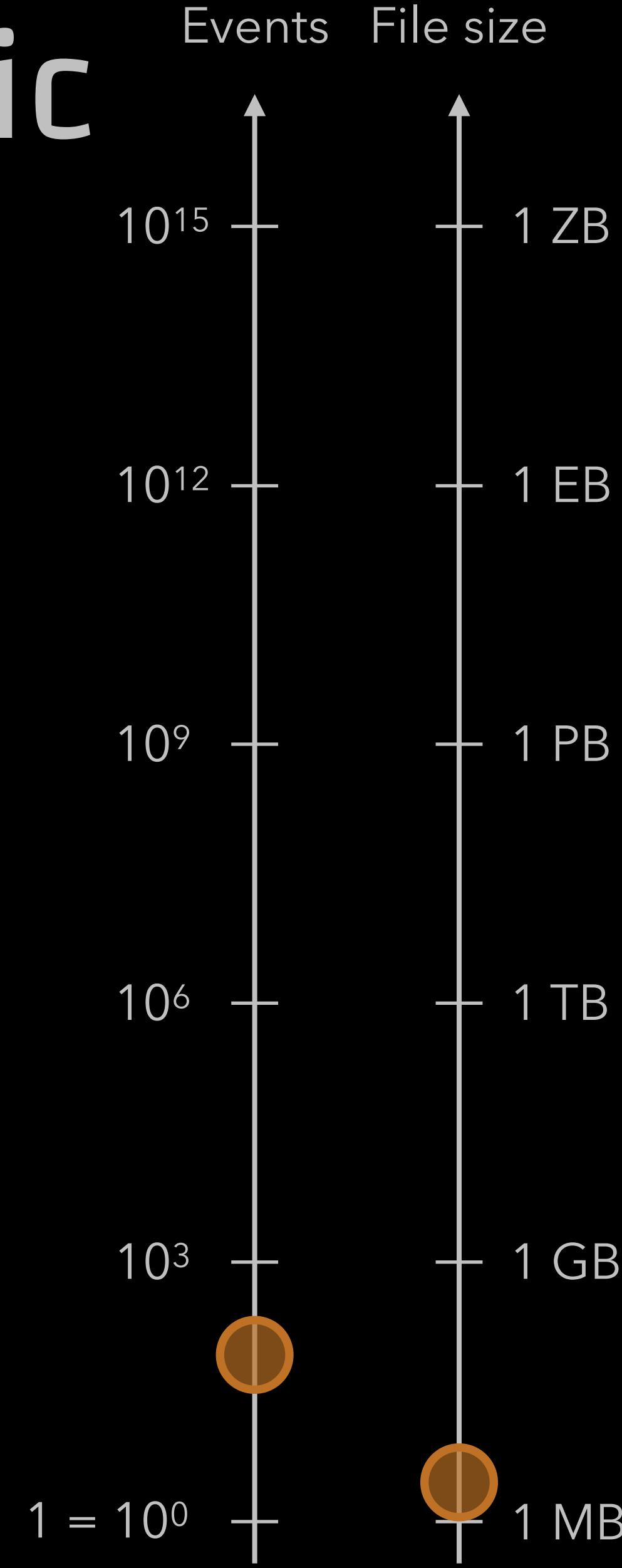


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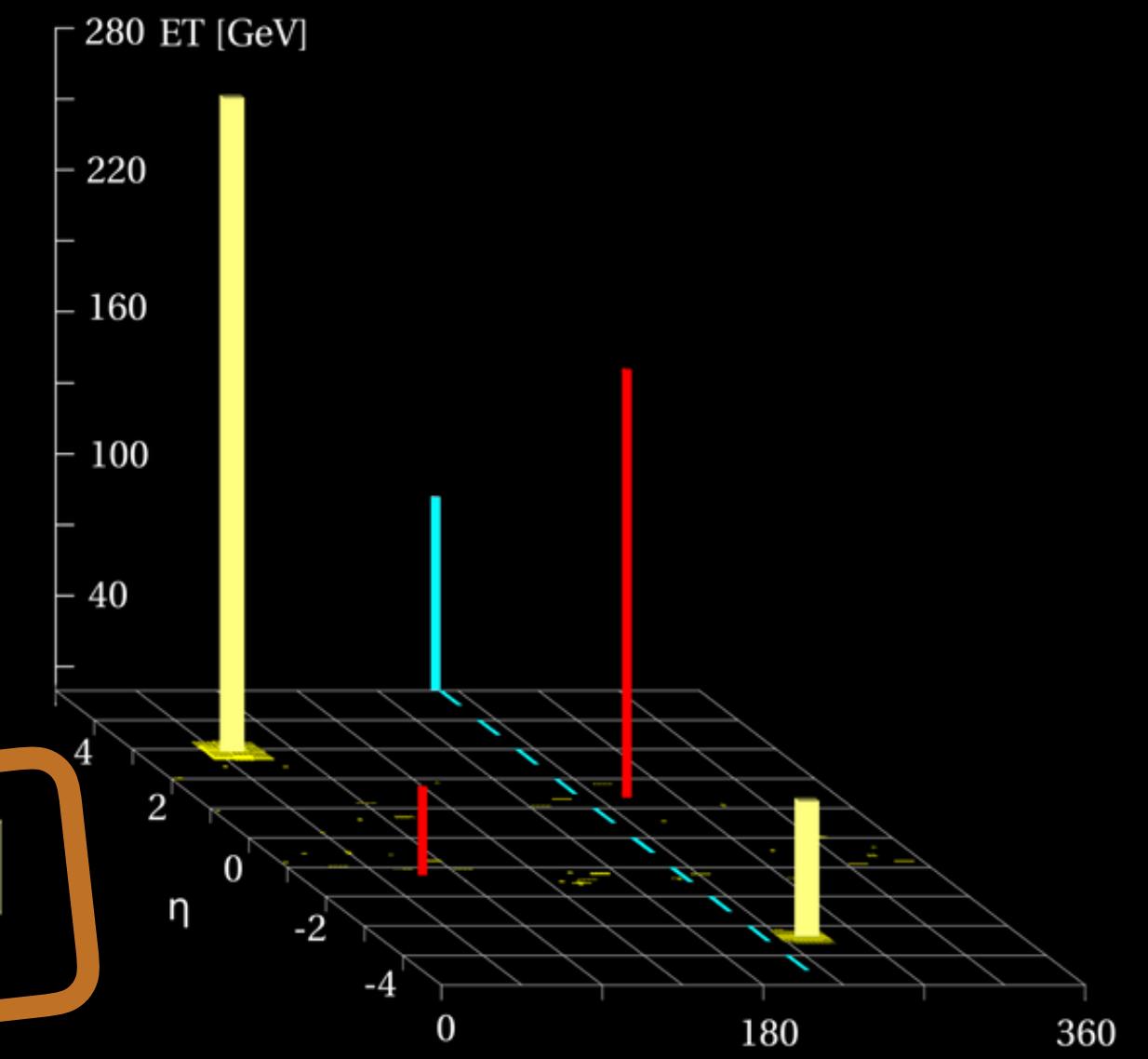
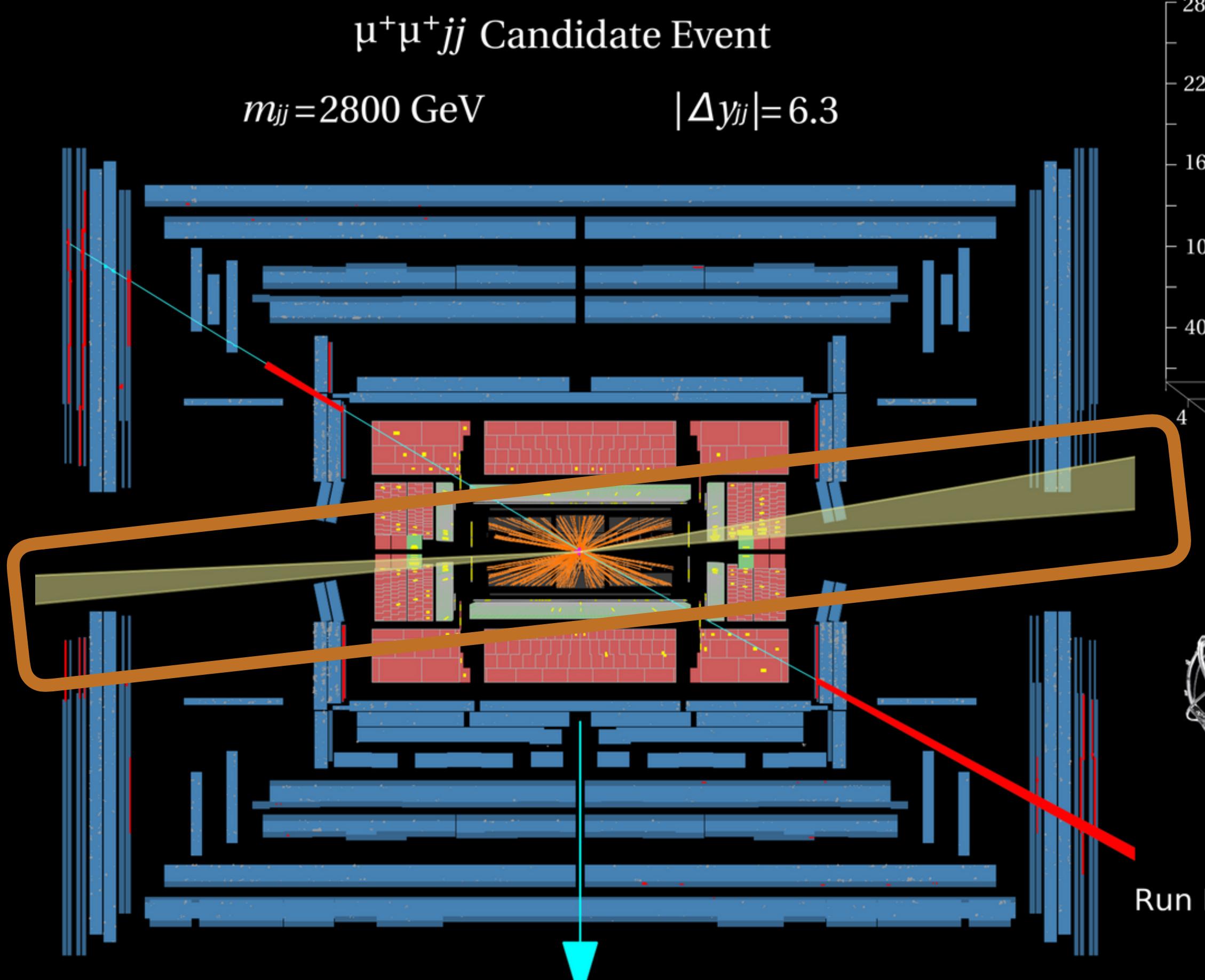
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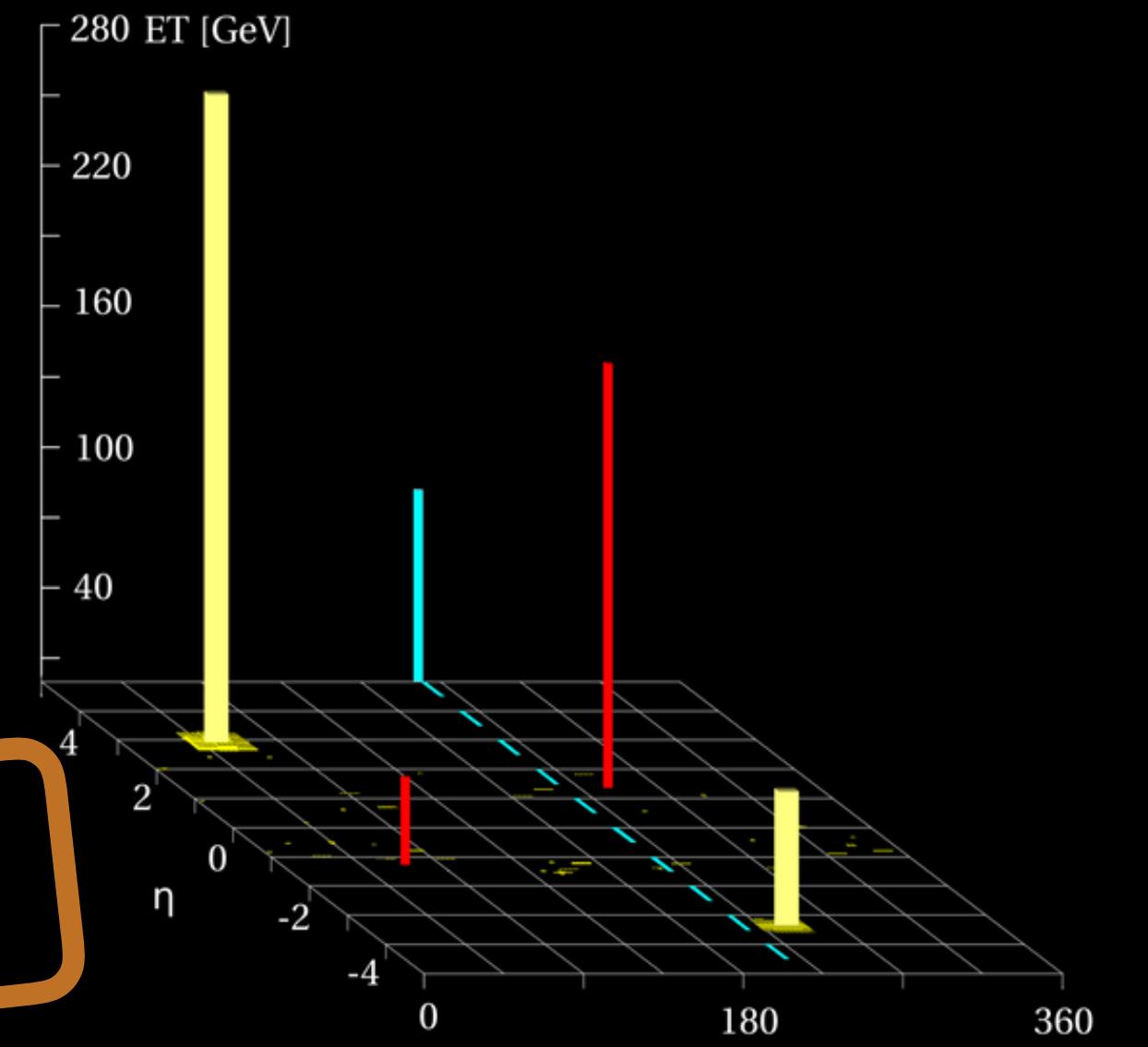
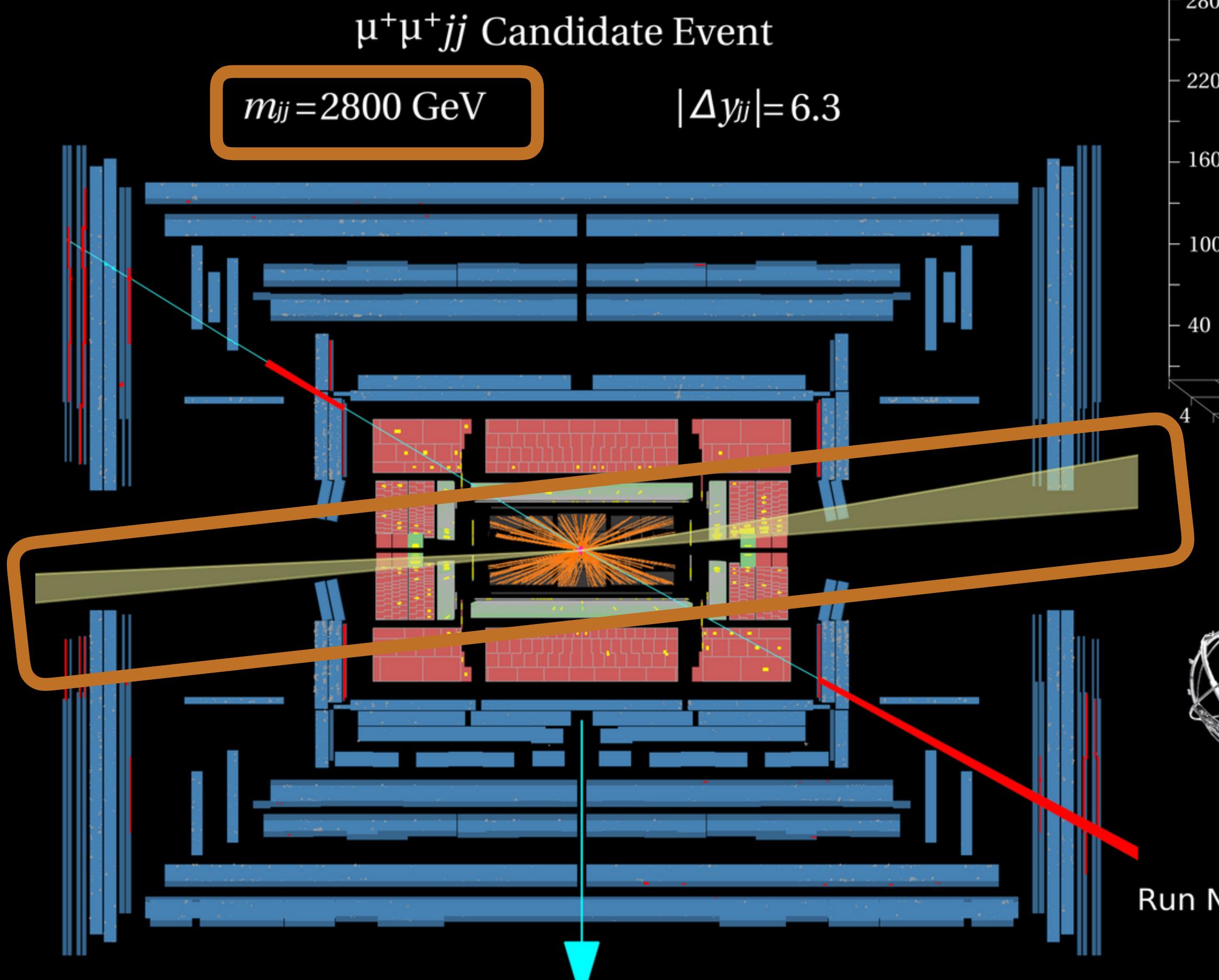
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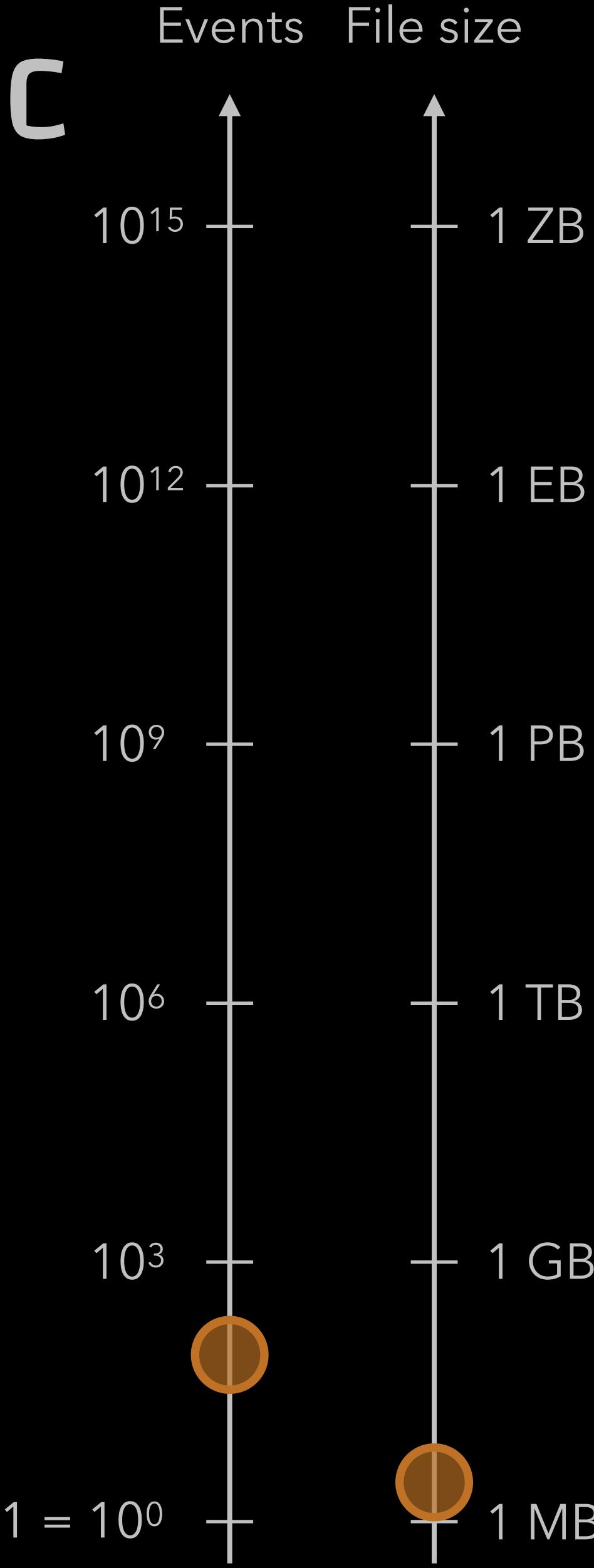
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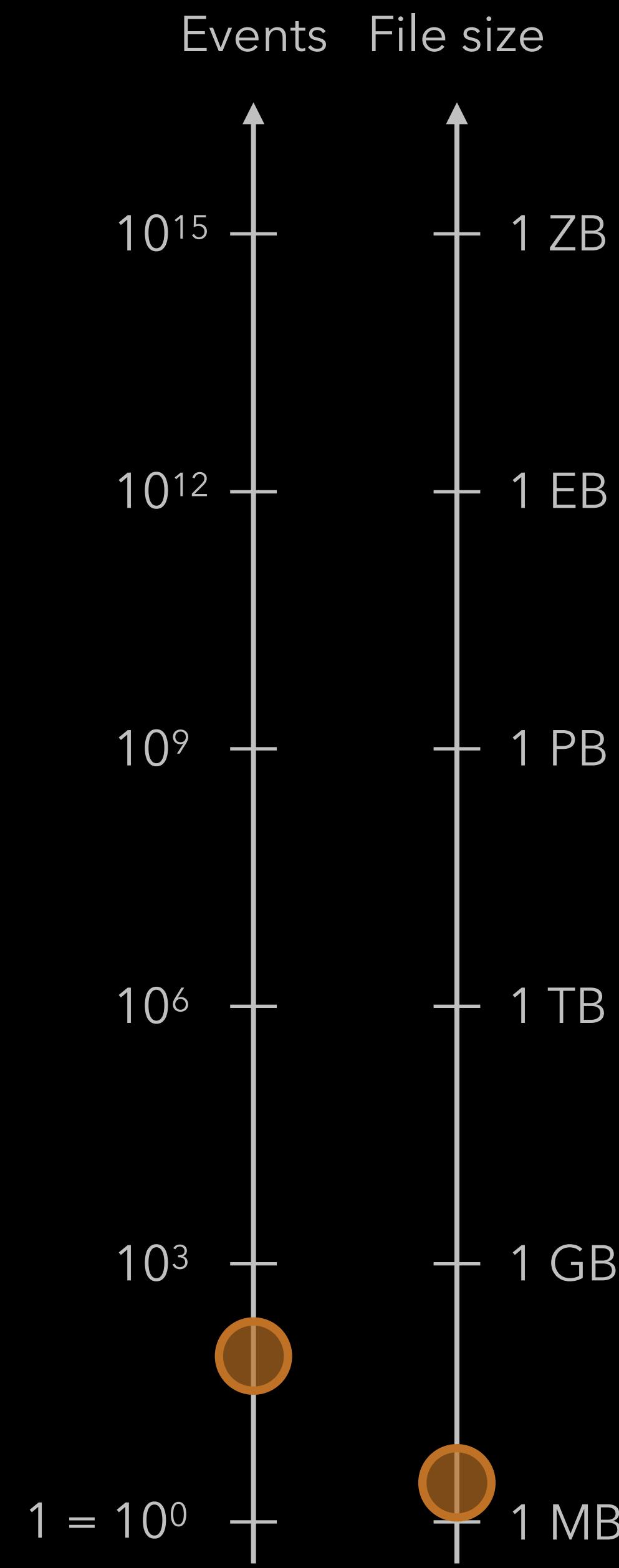
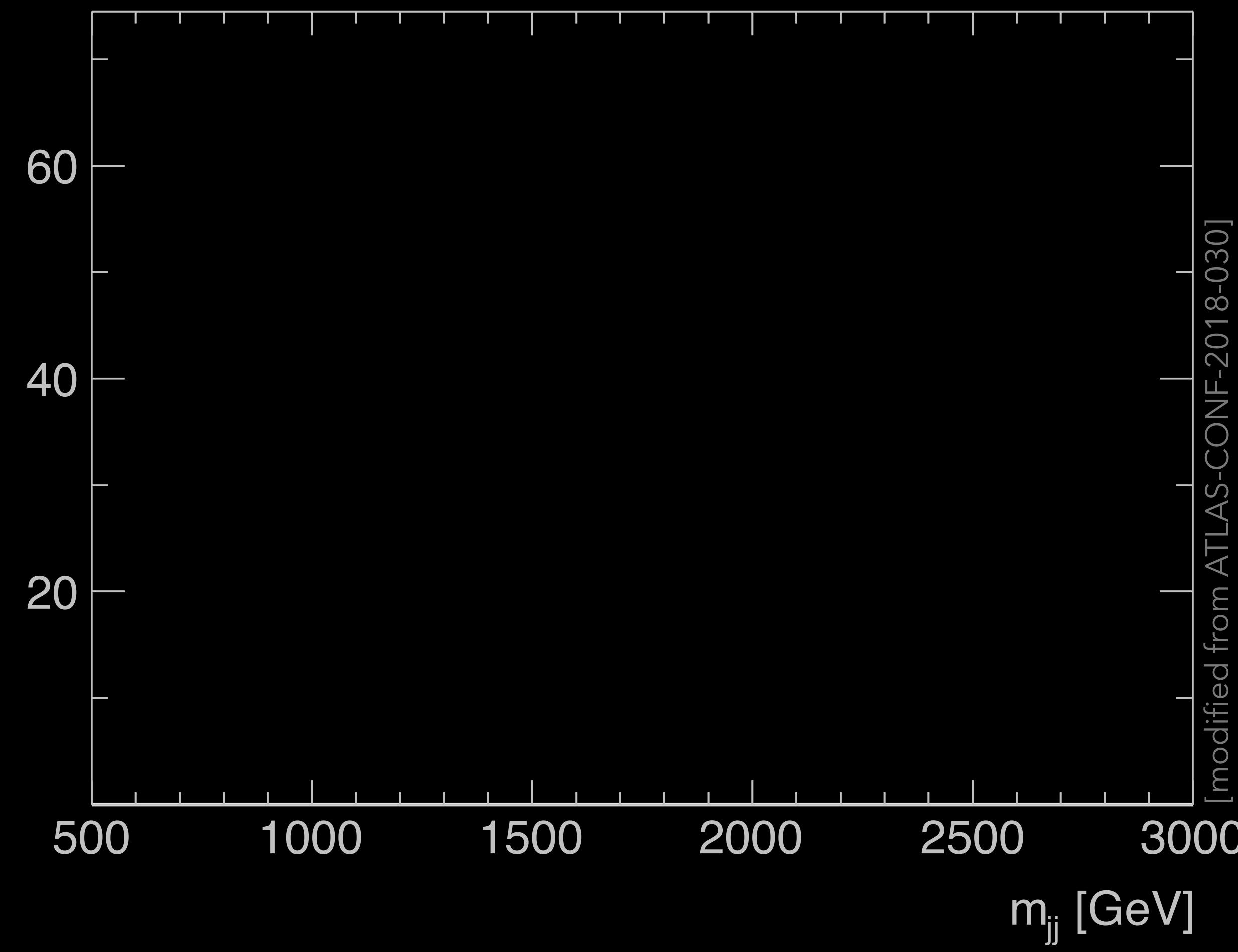
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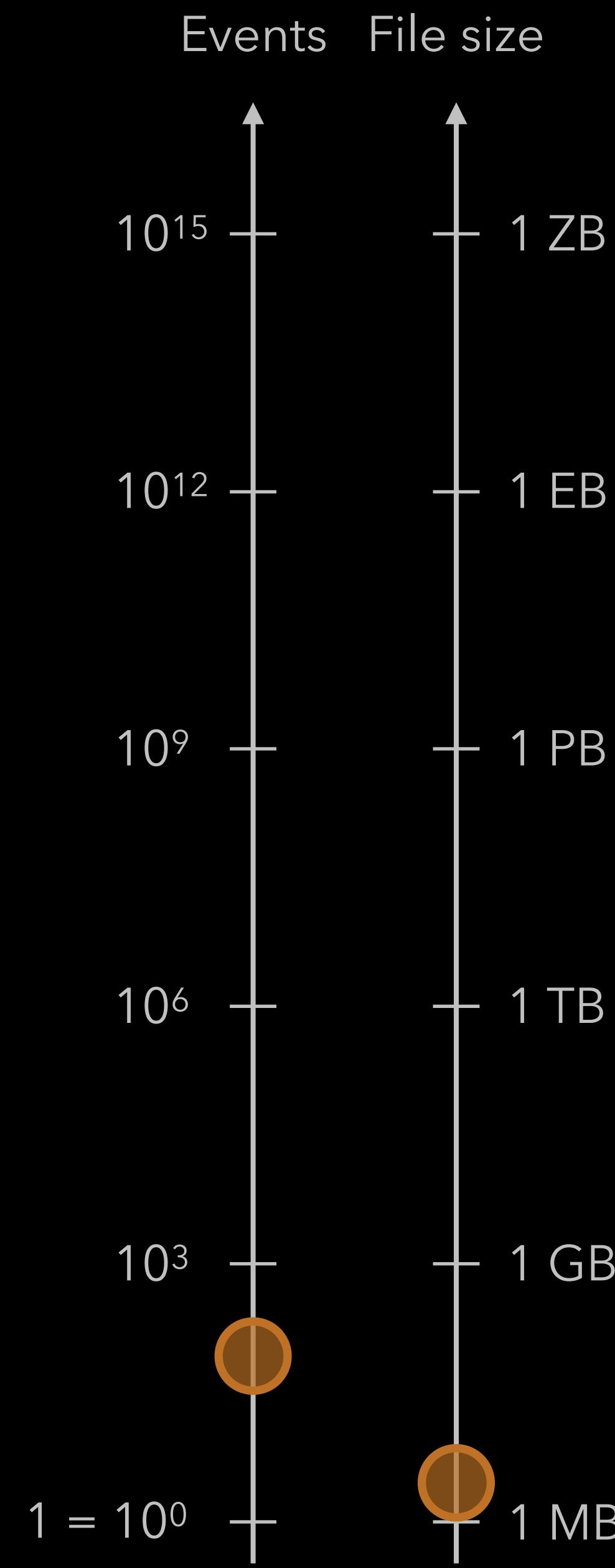
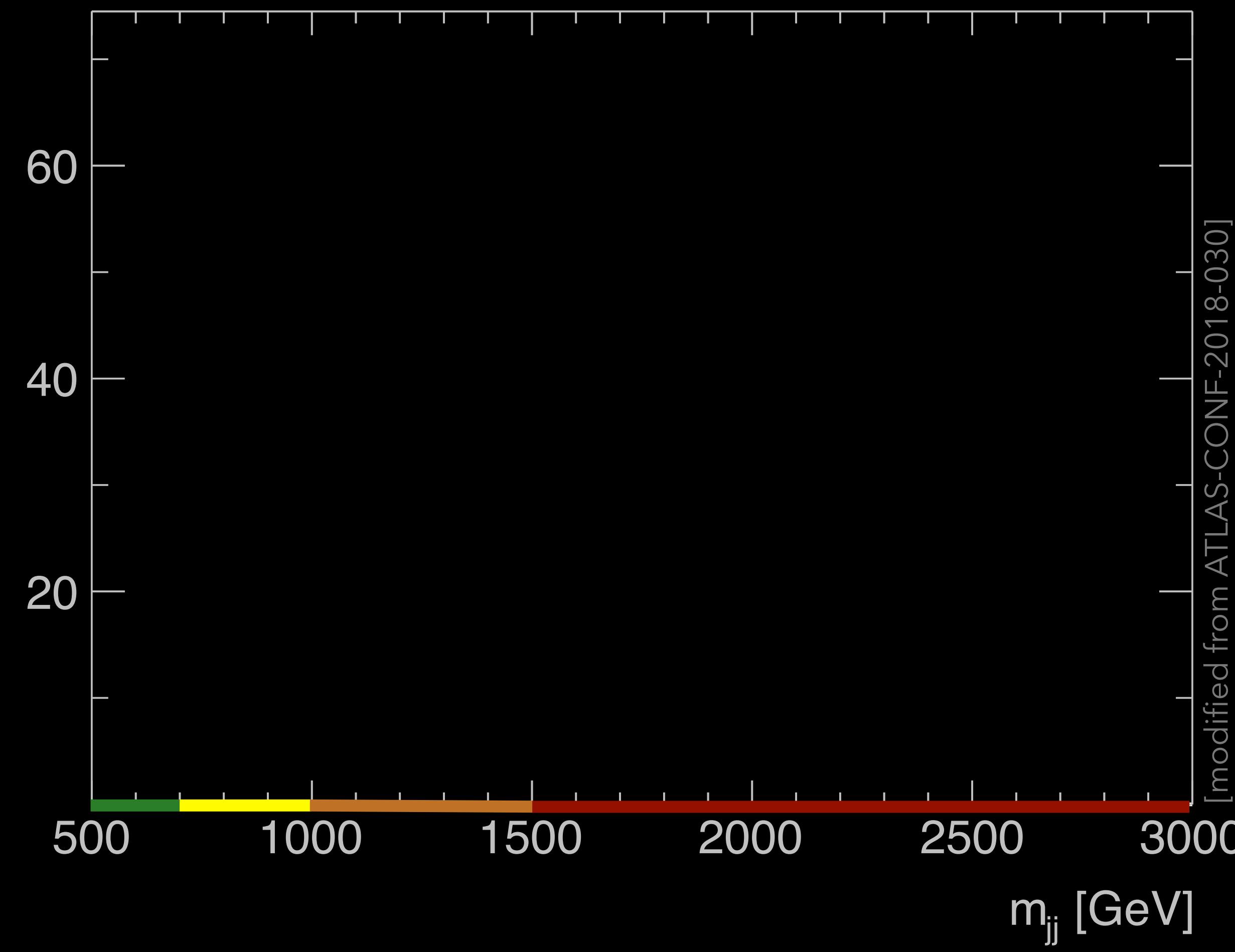
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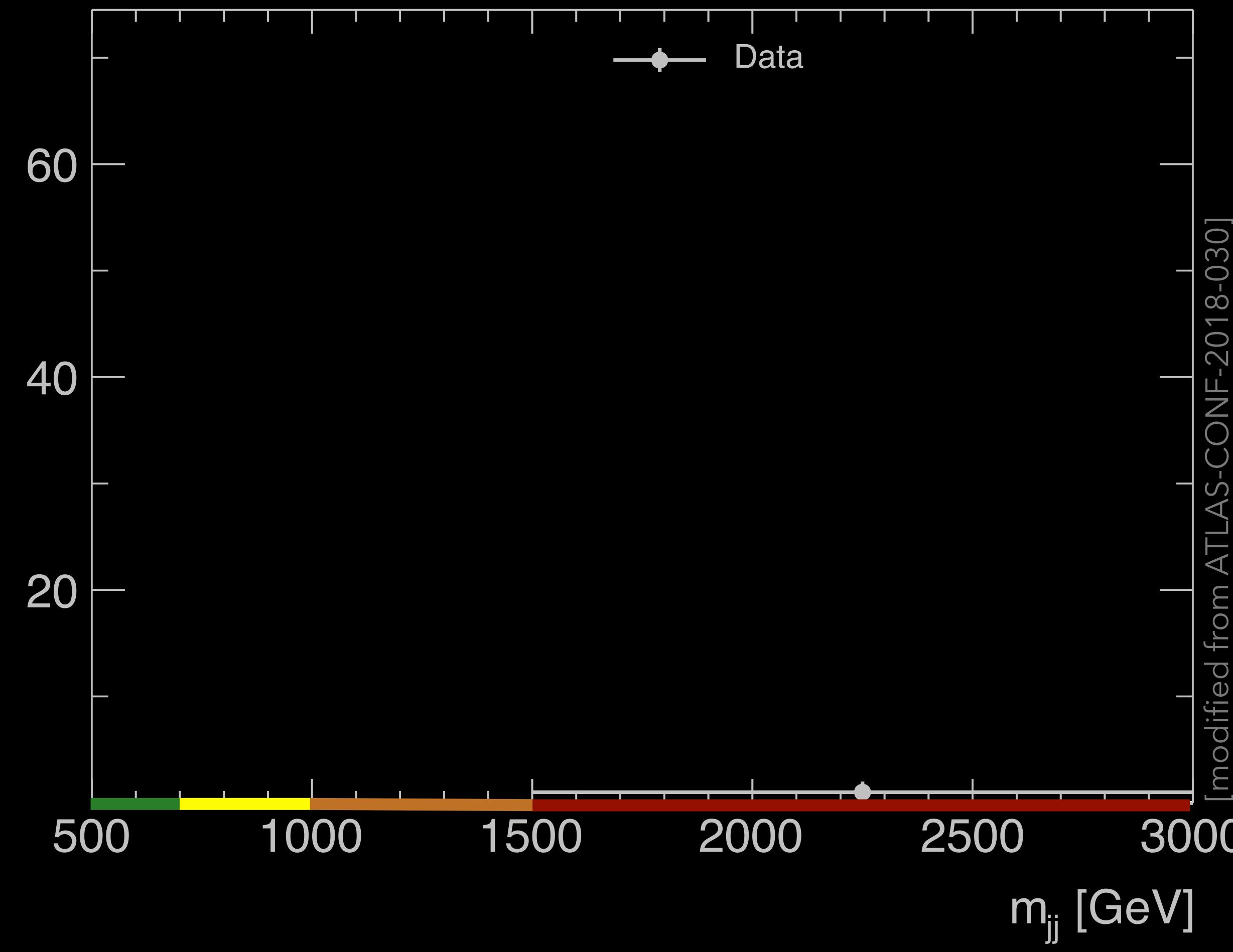
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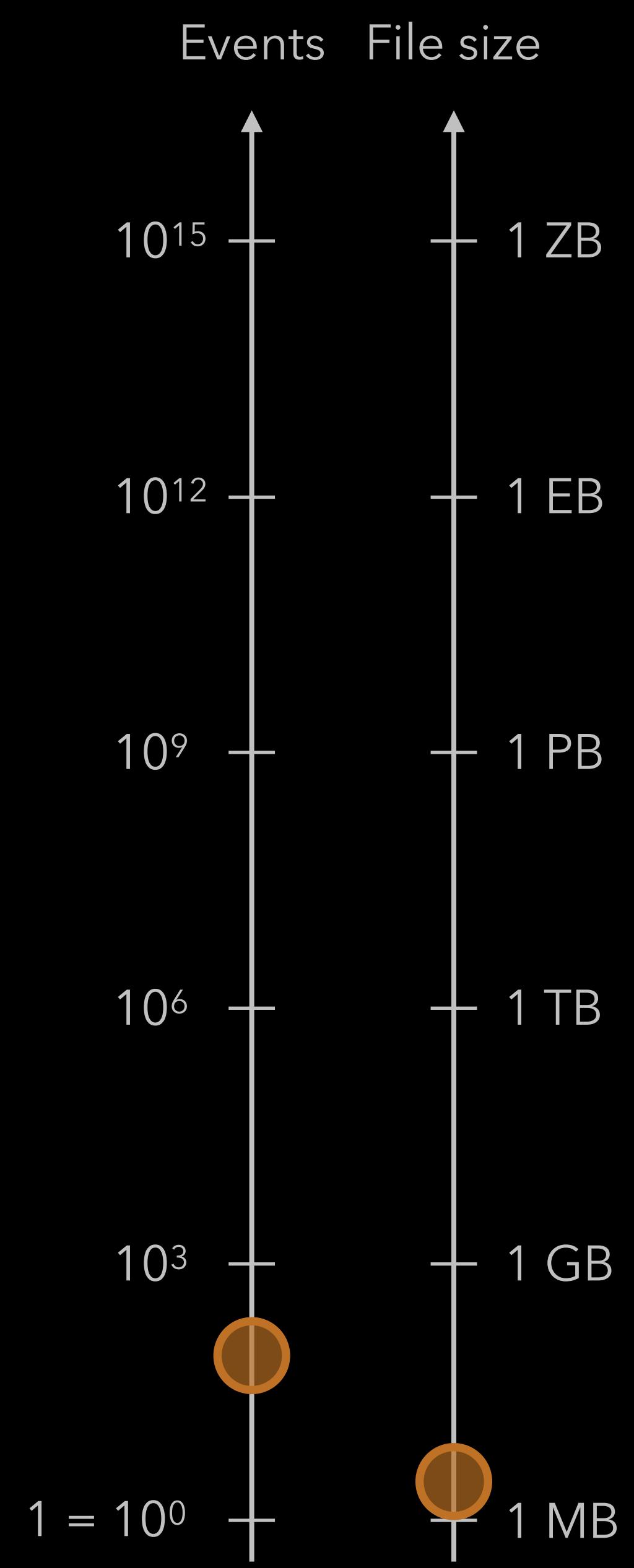


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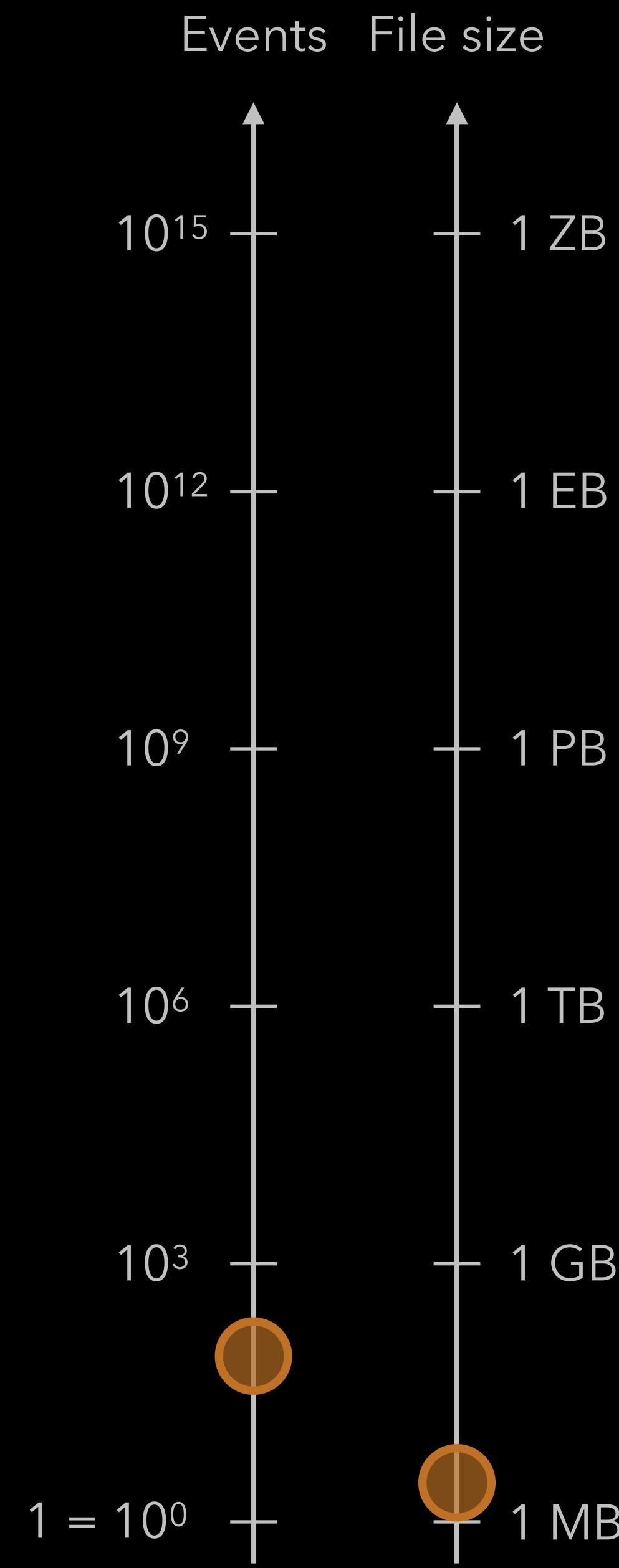
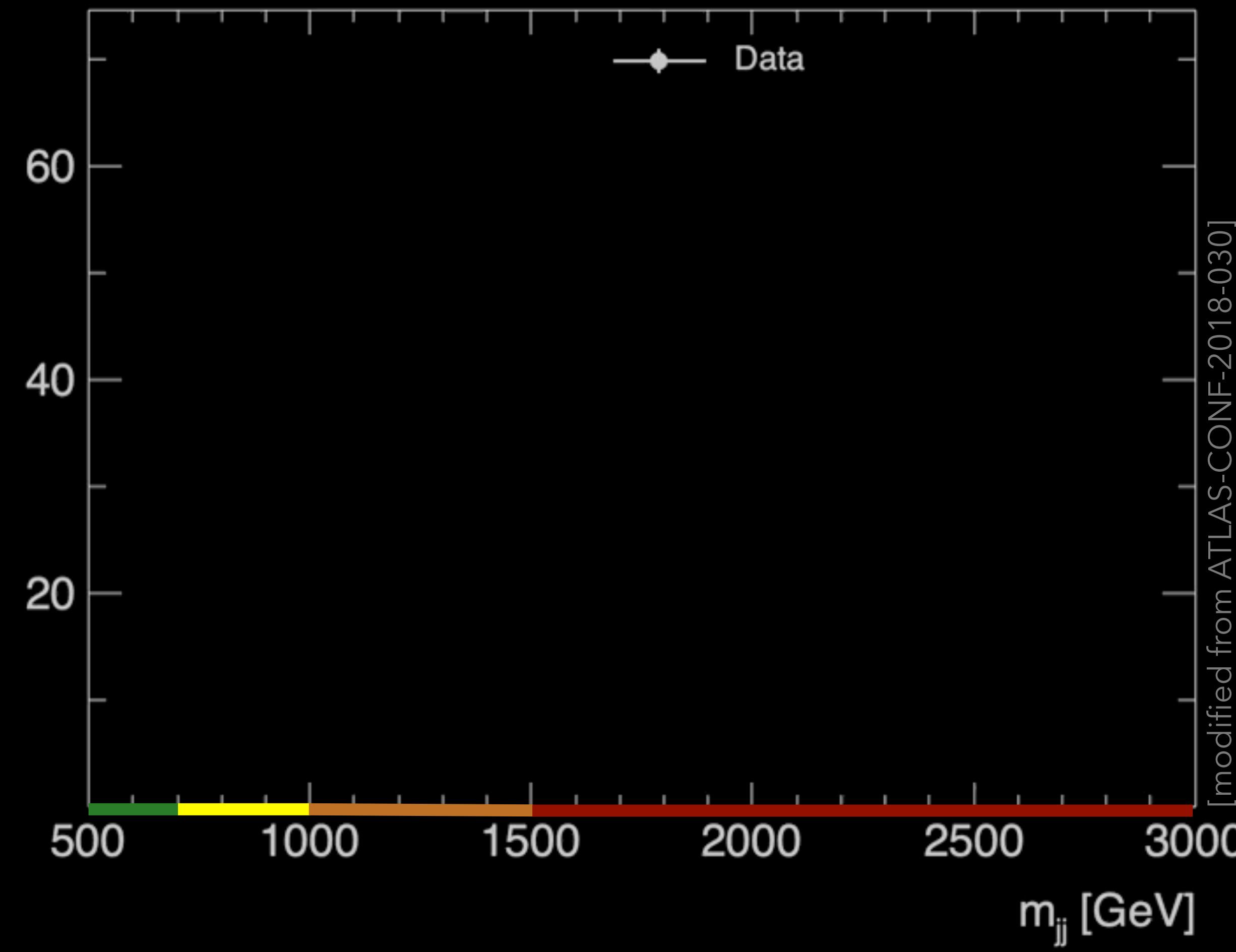


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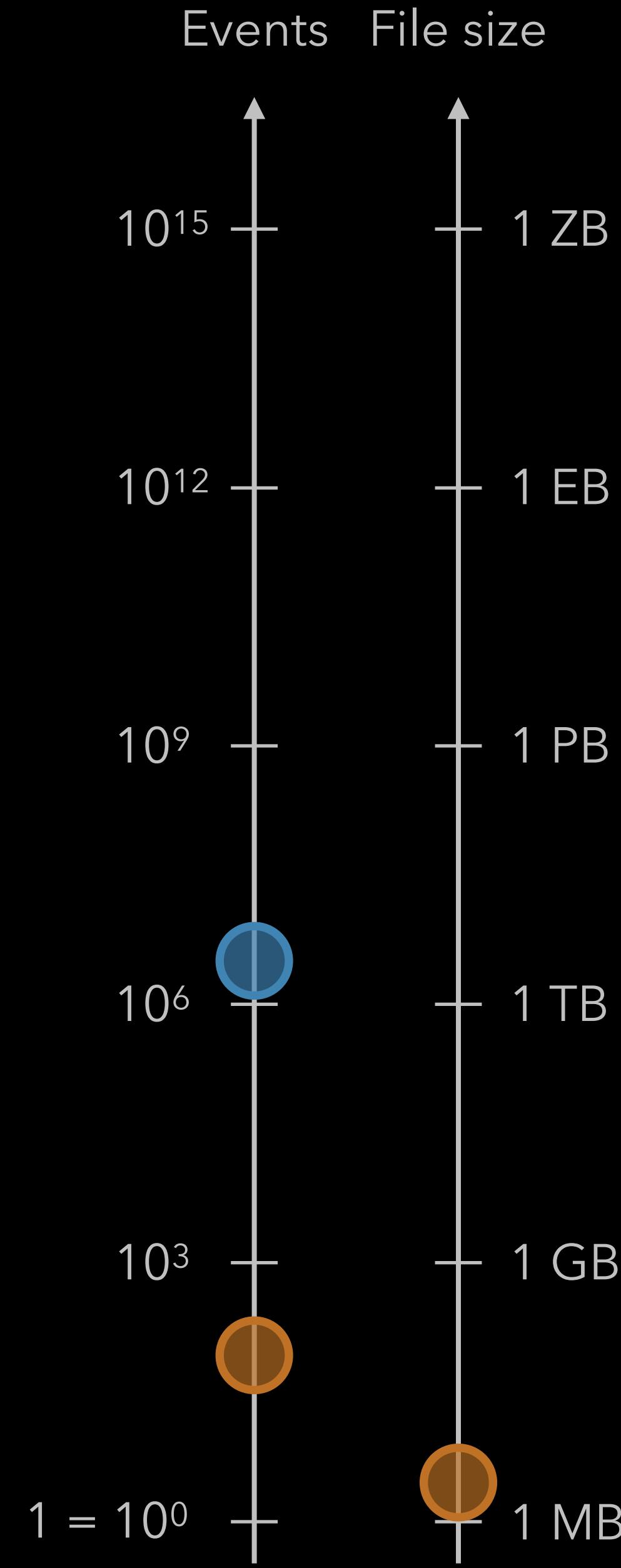
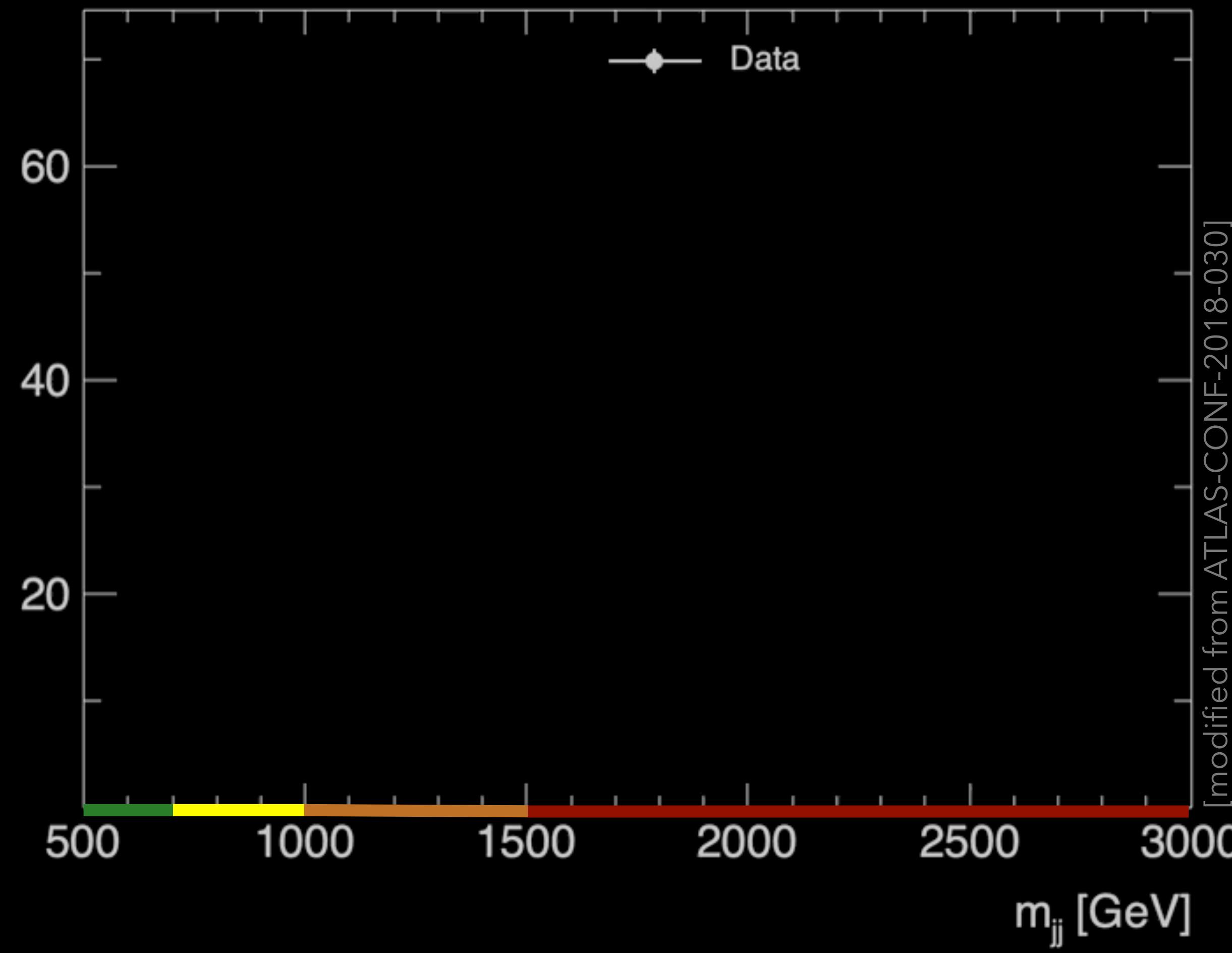
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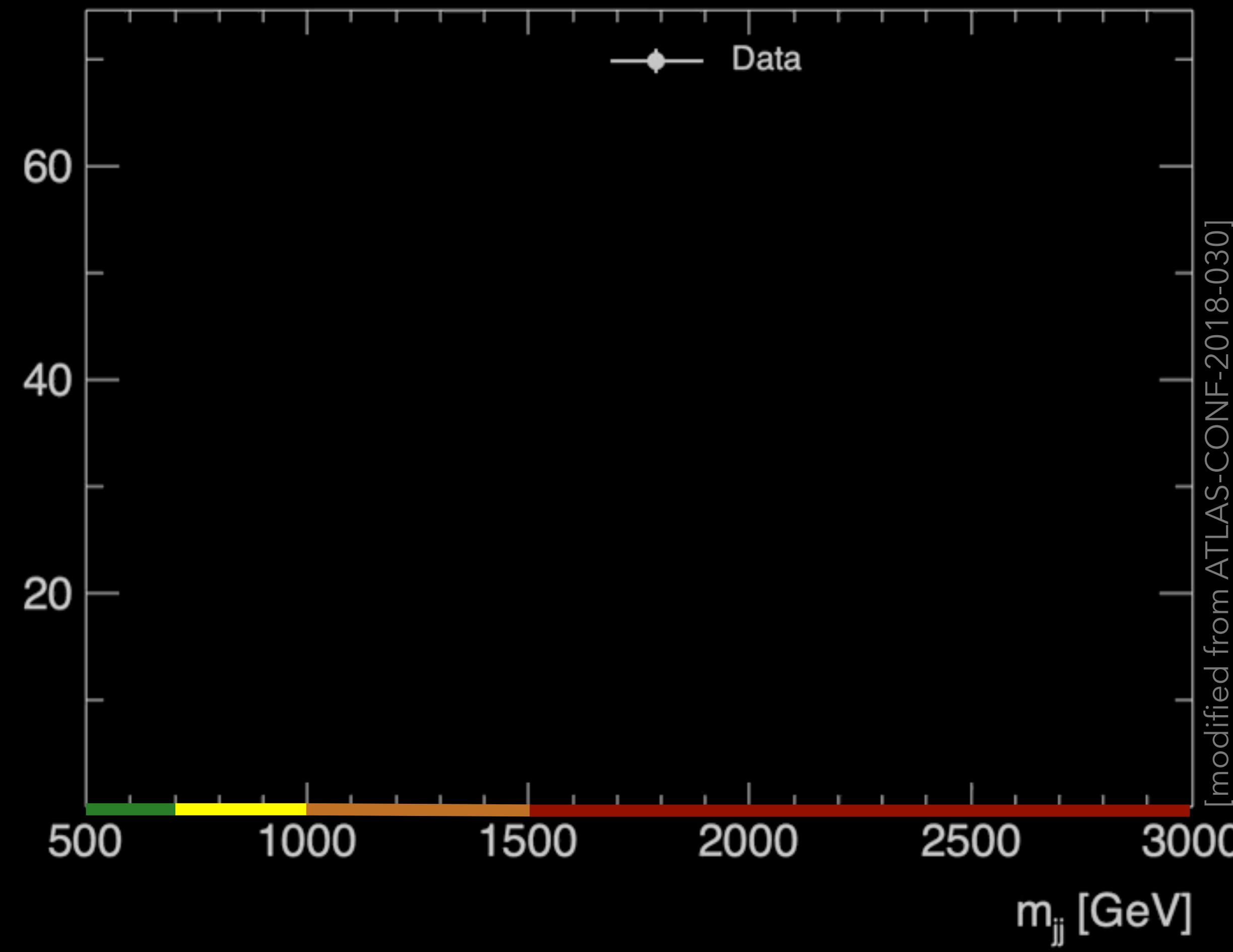
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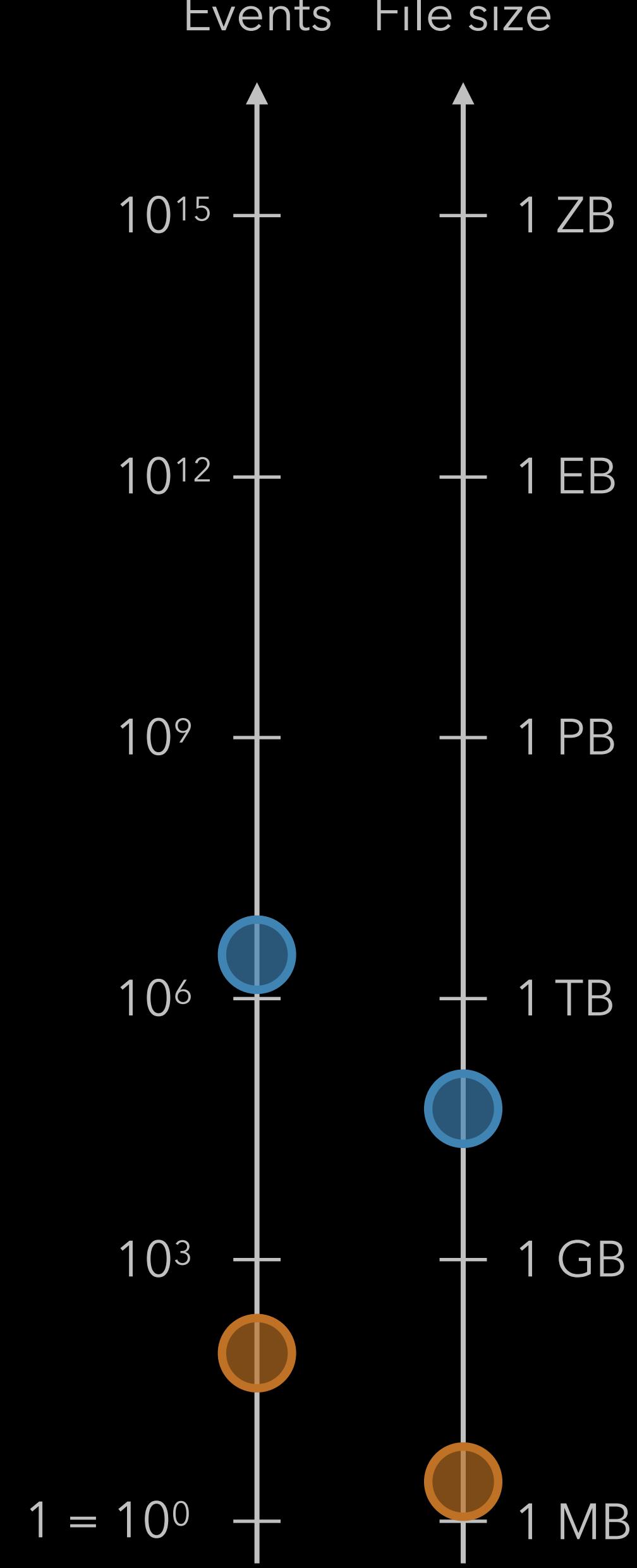


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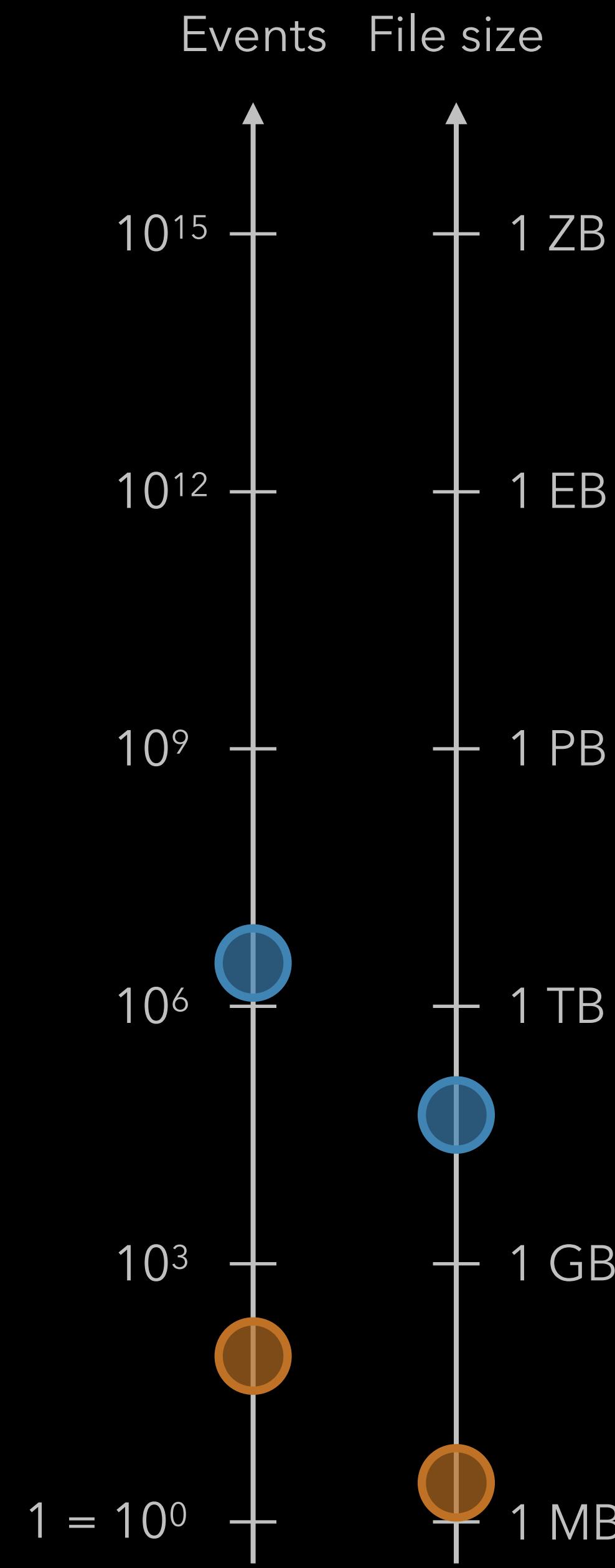
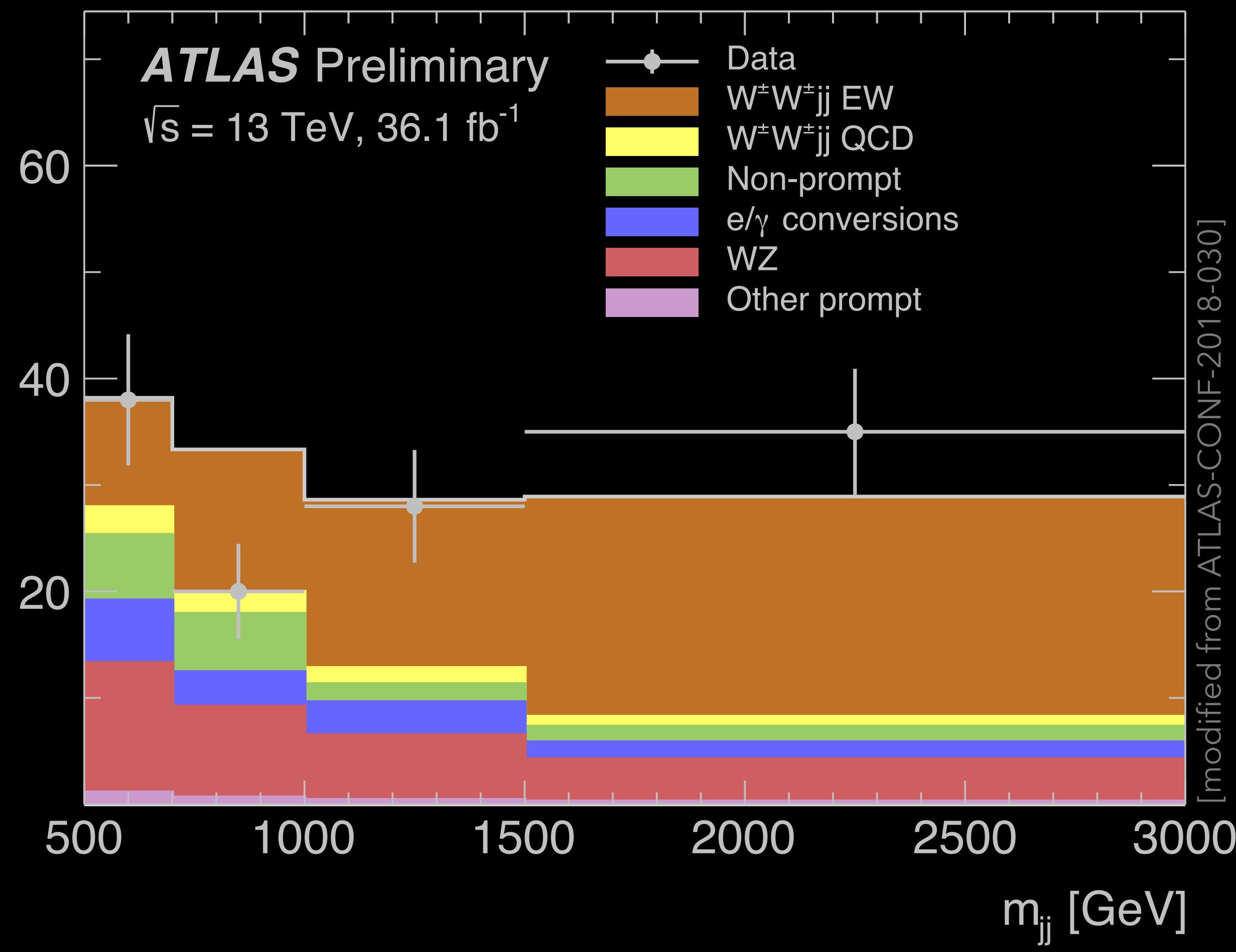


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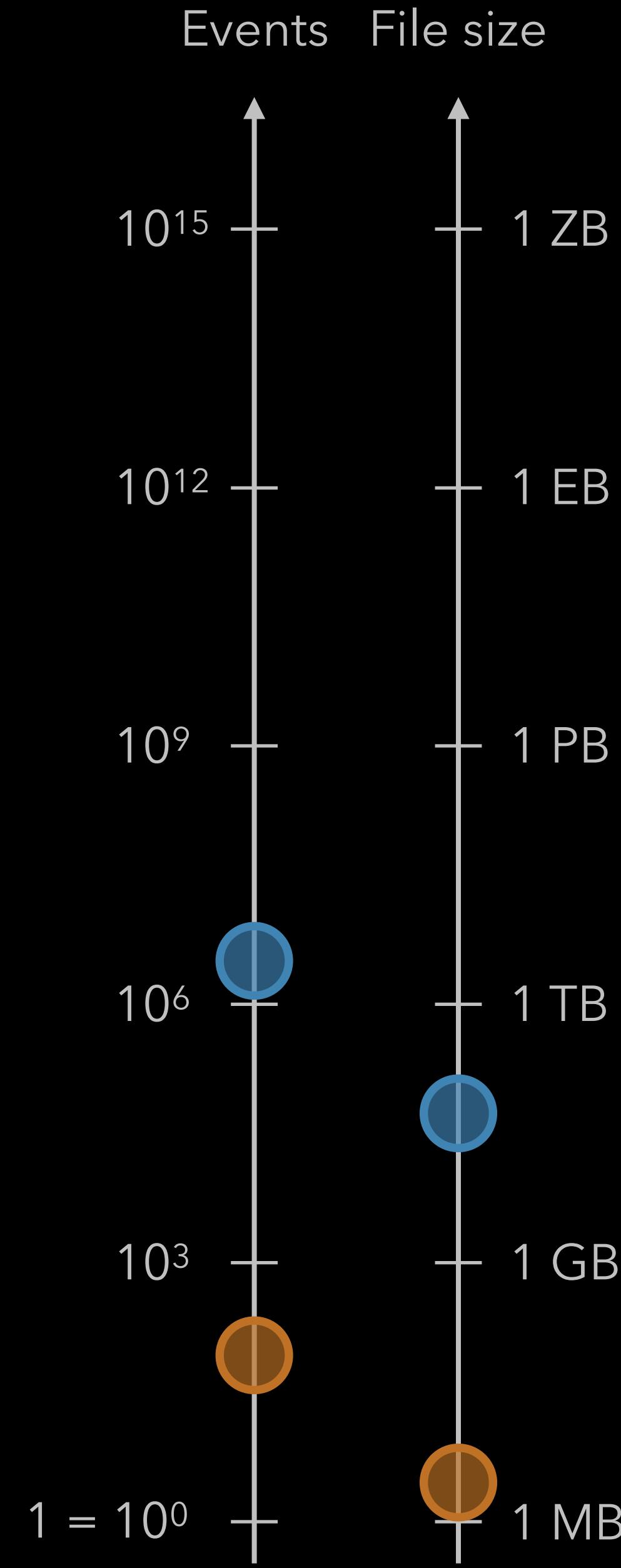
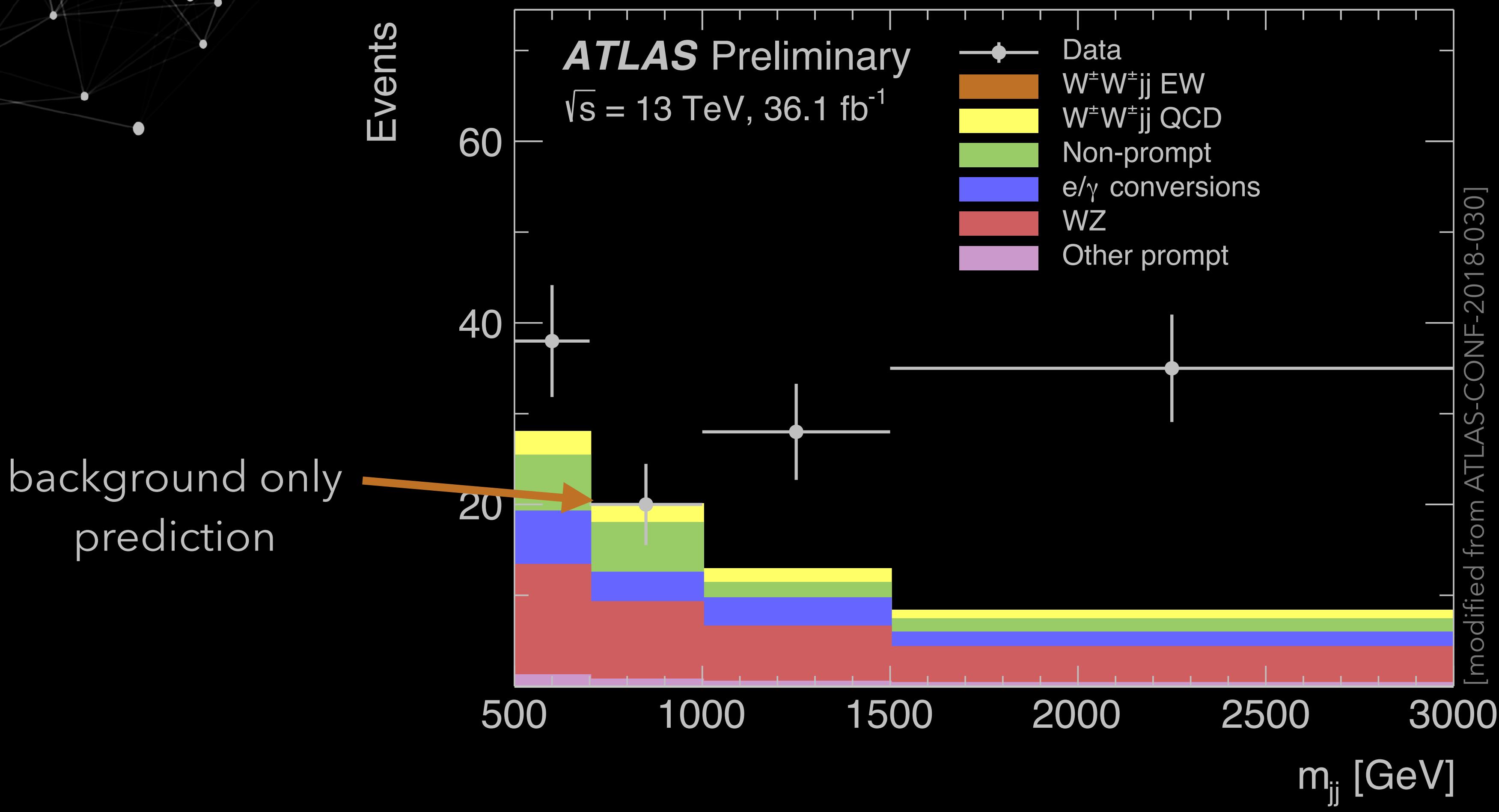


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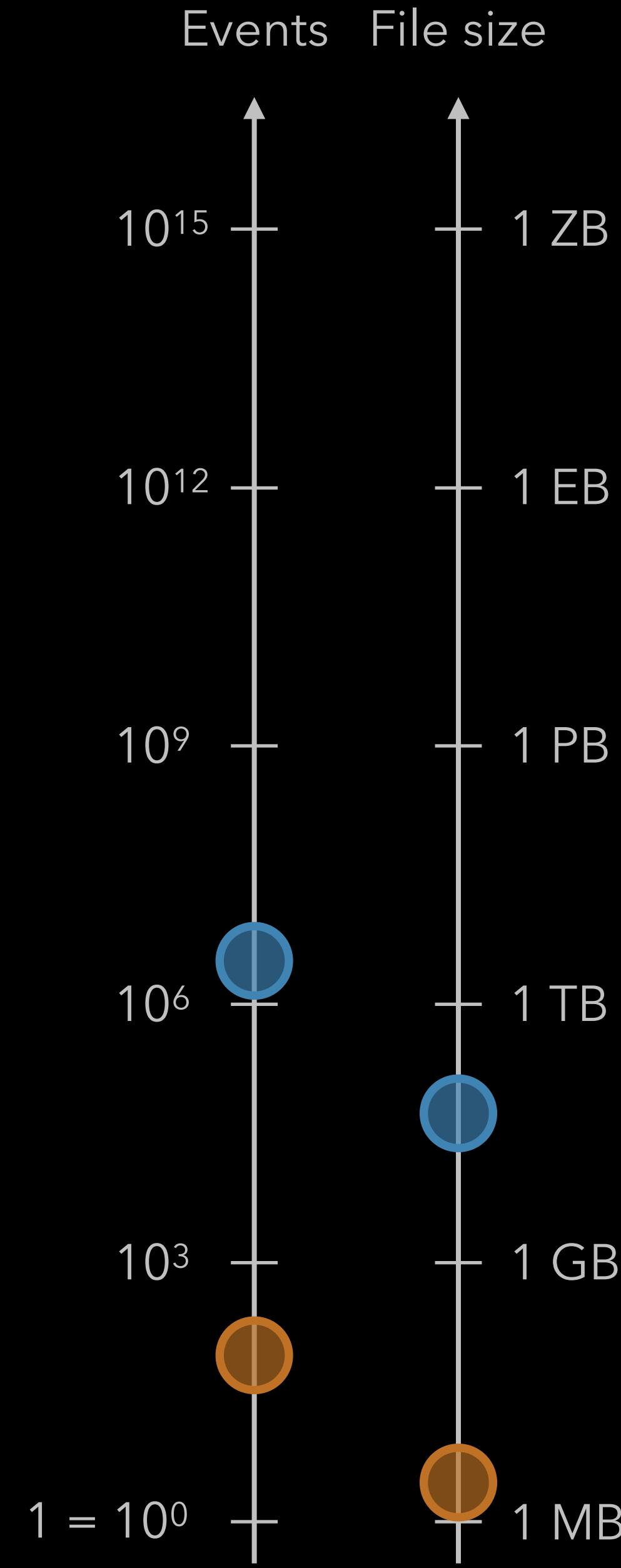
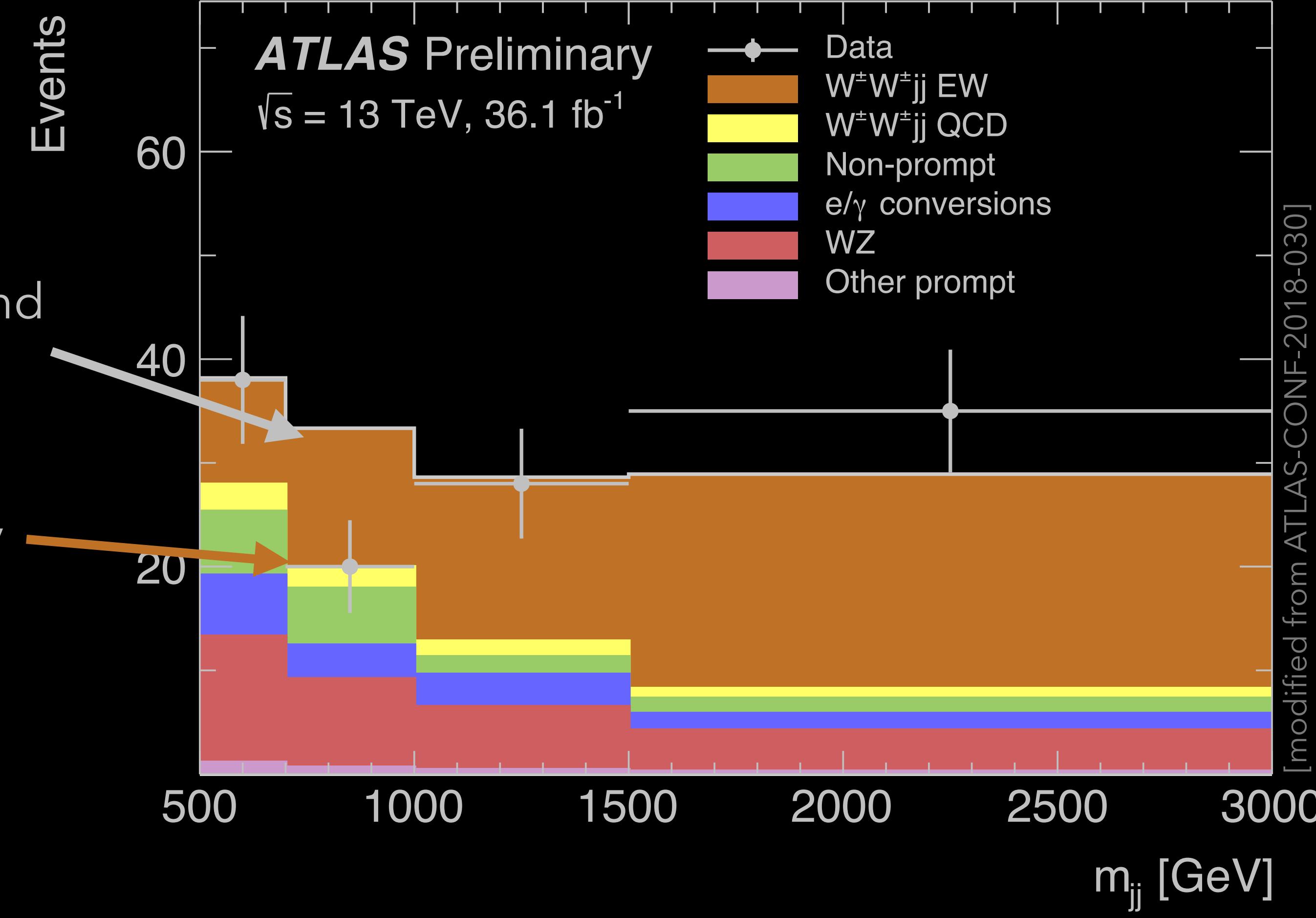


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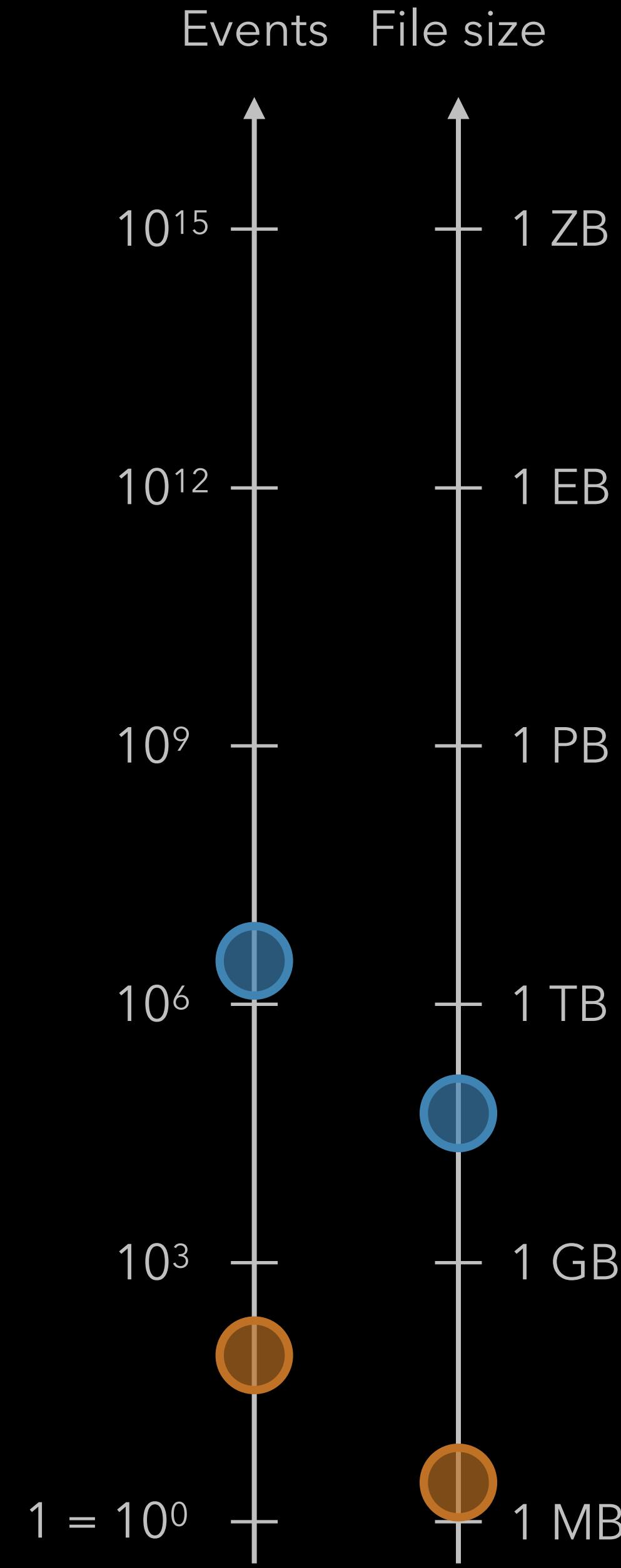
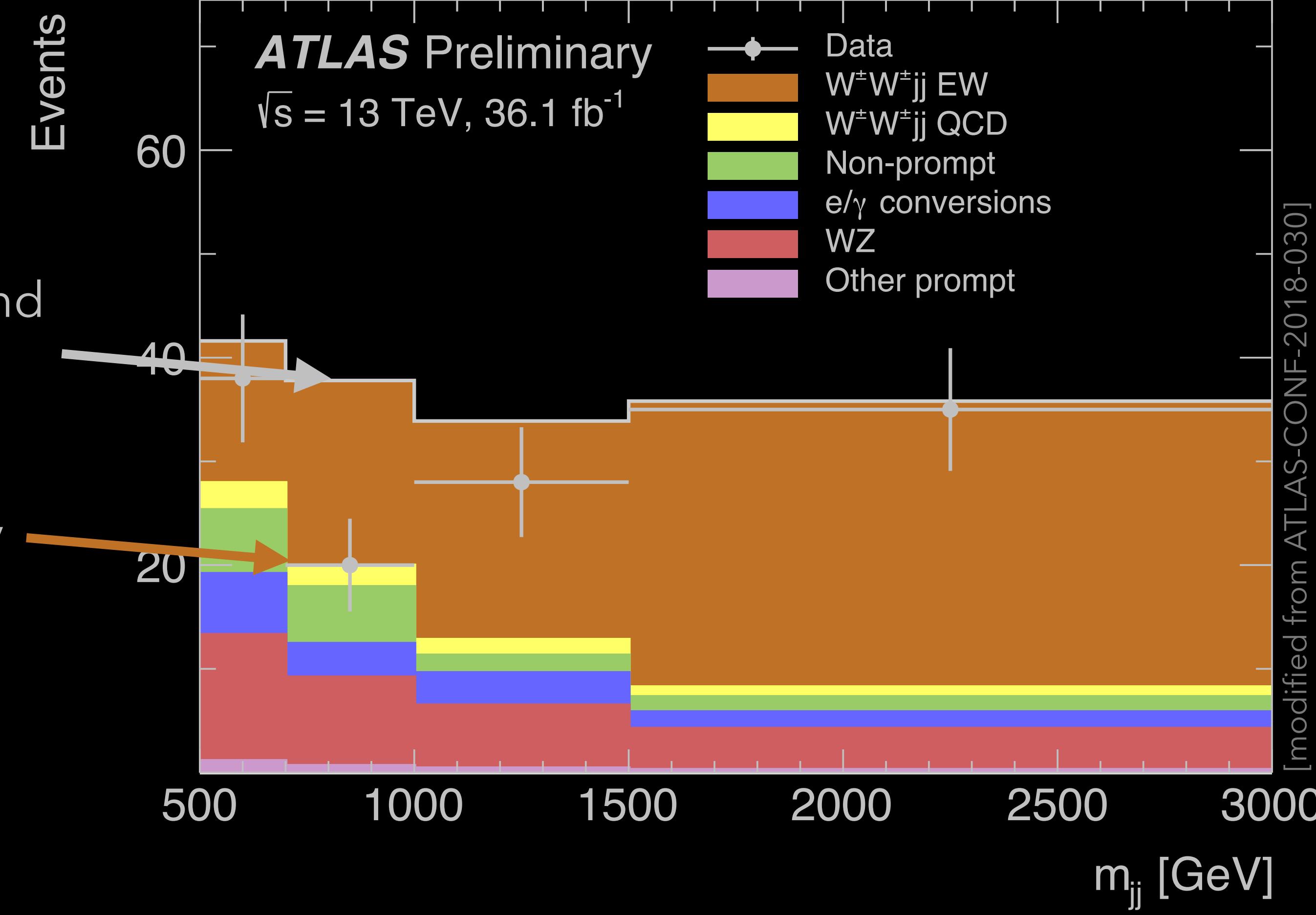
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prediction  
  
background only  
prediction



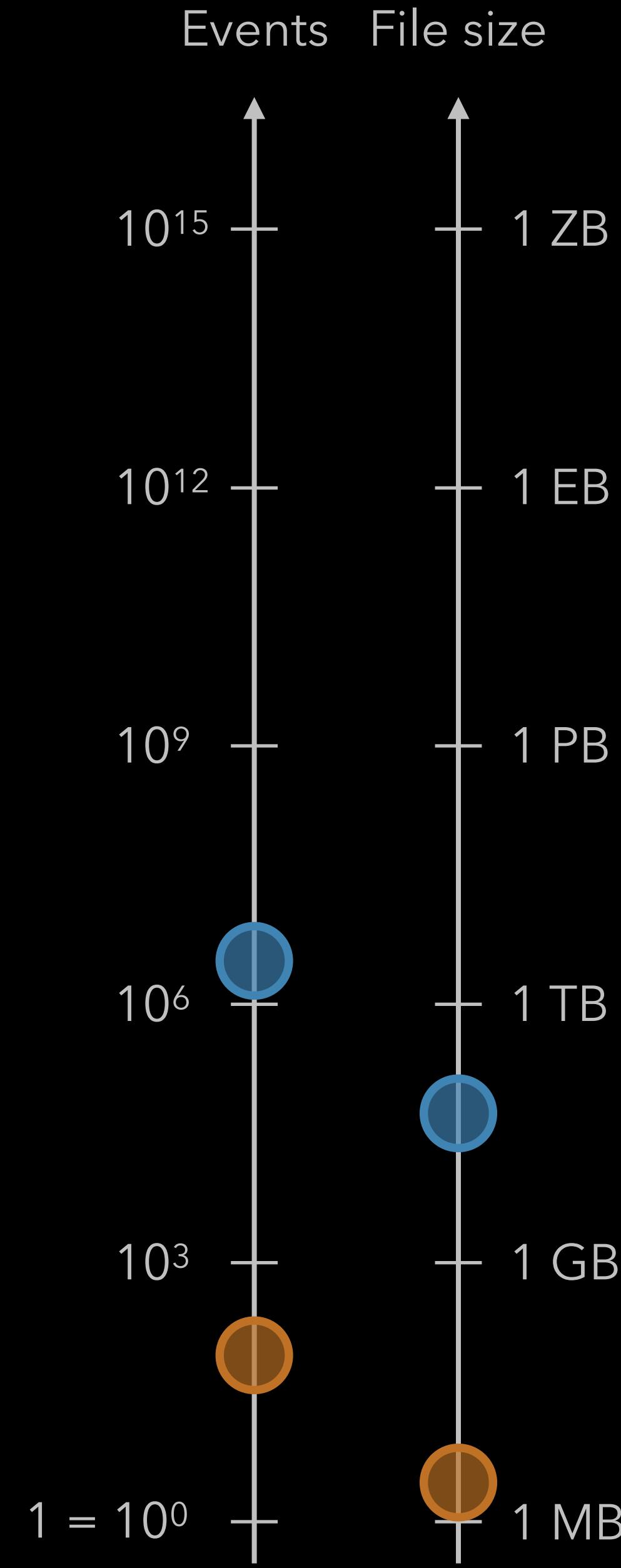
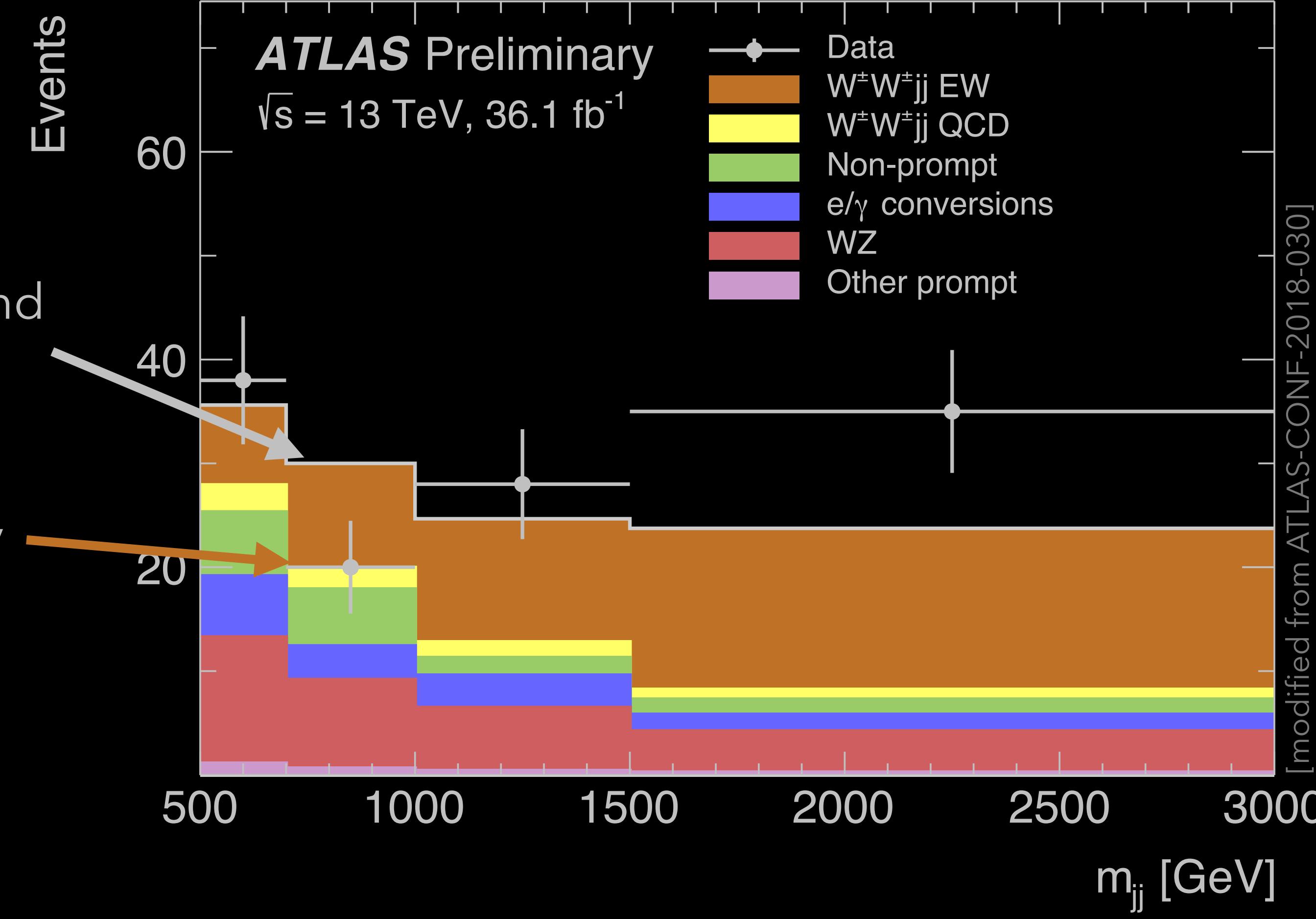
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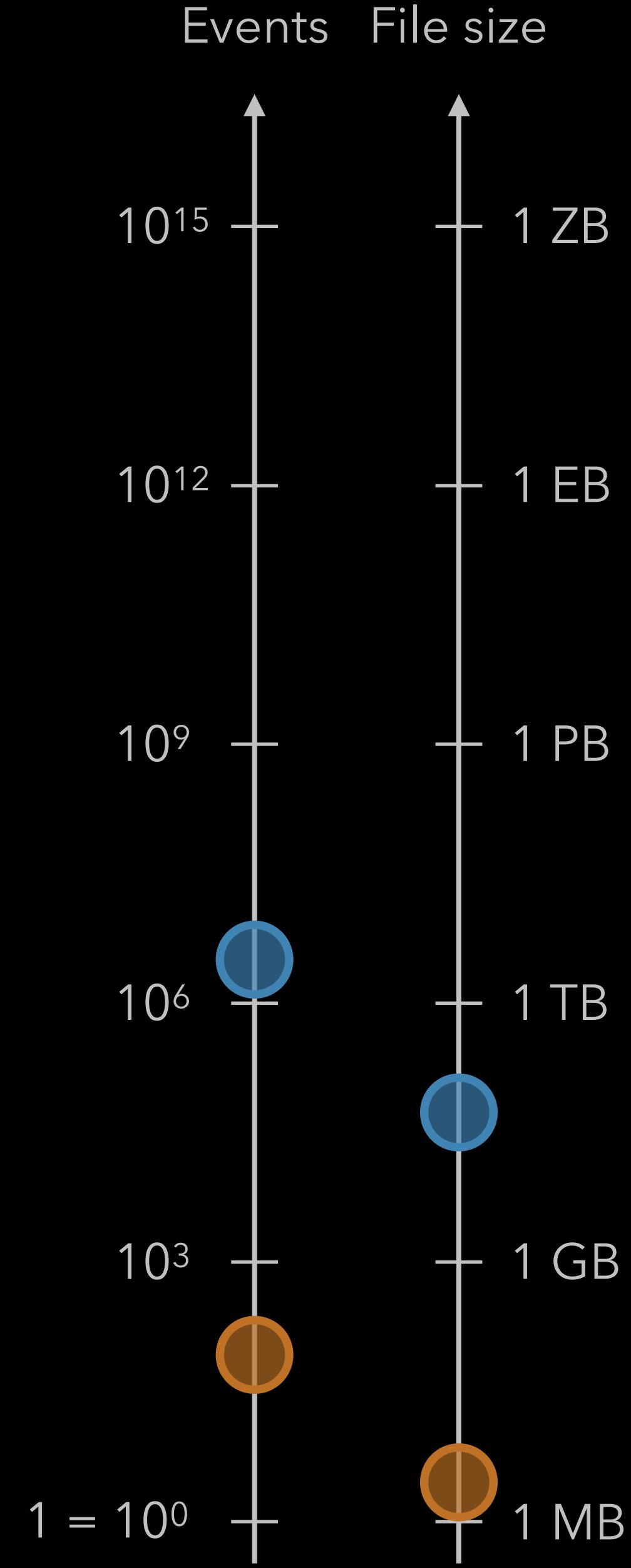
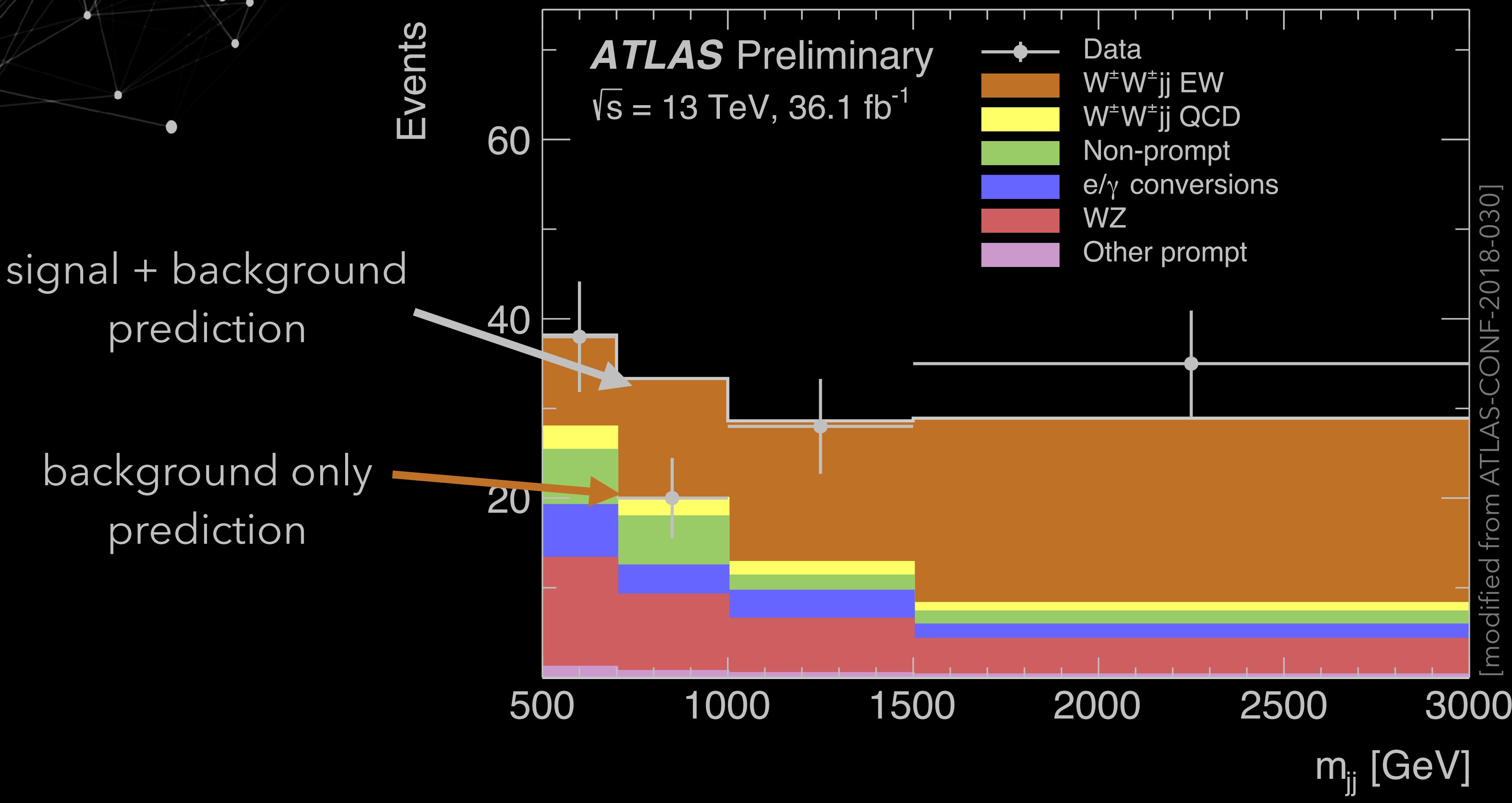


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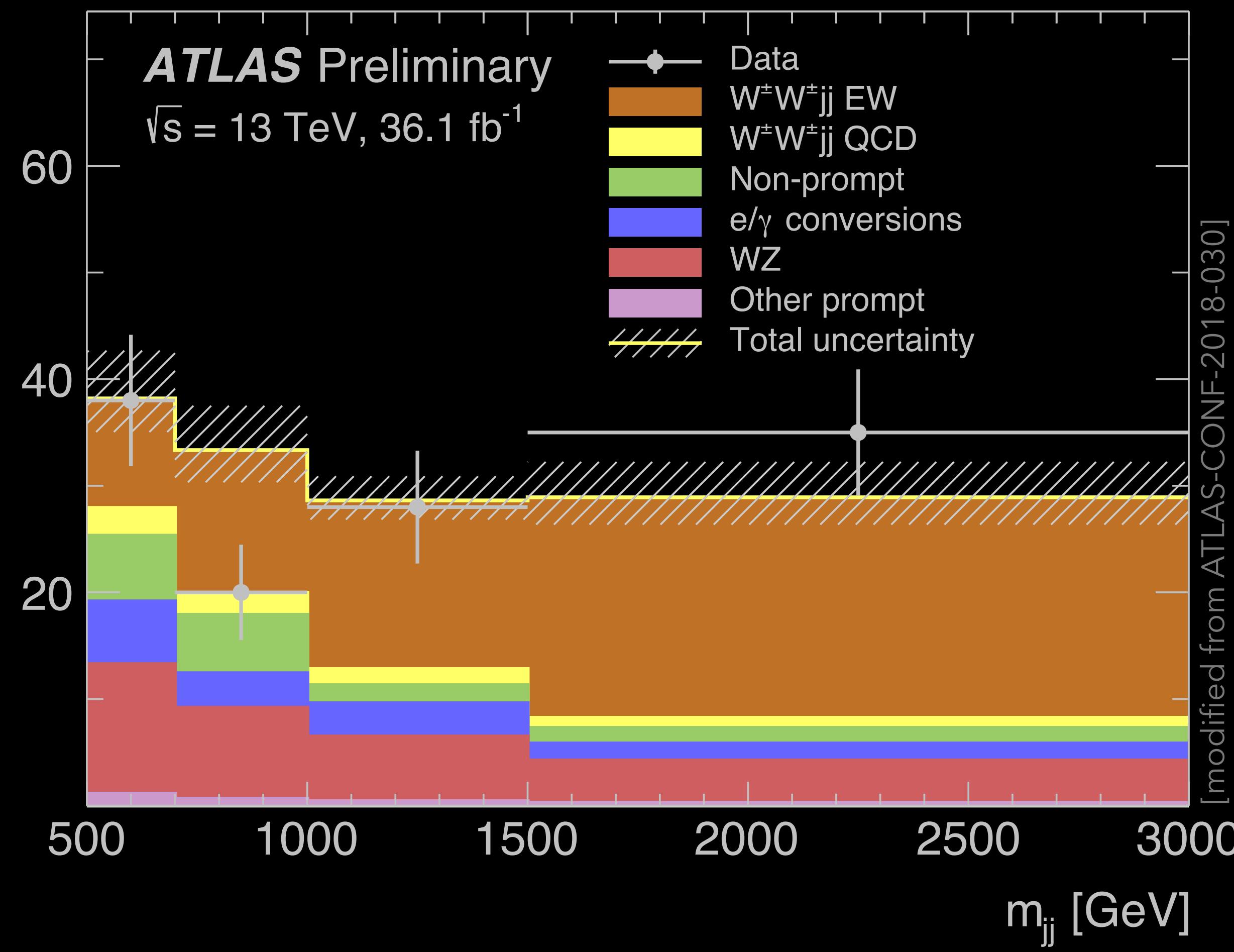


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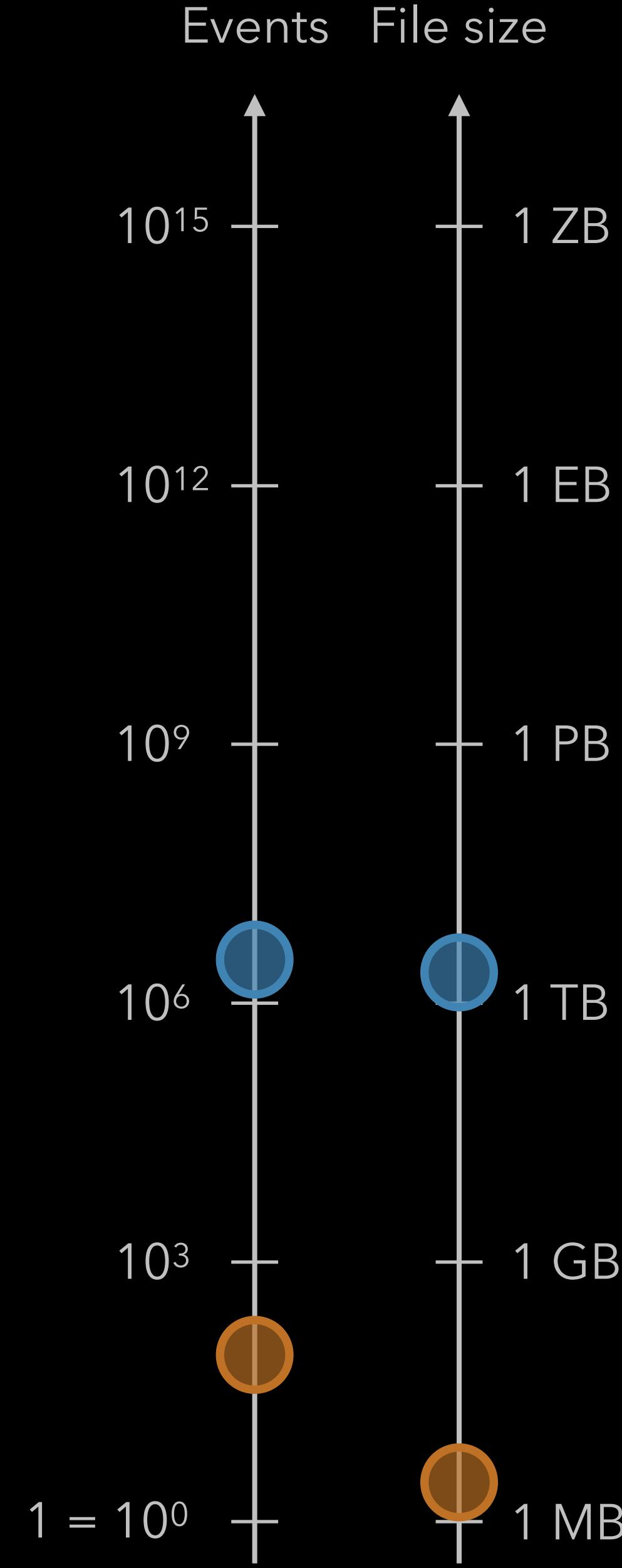
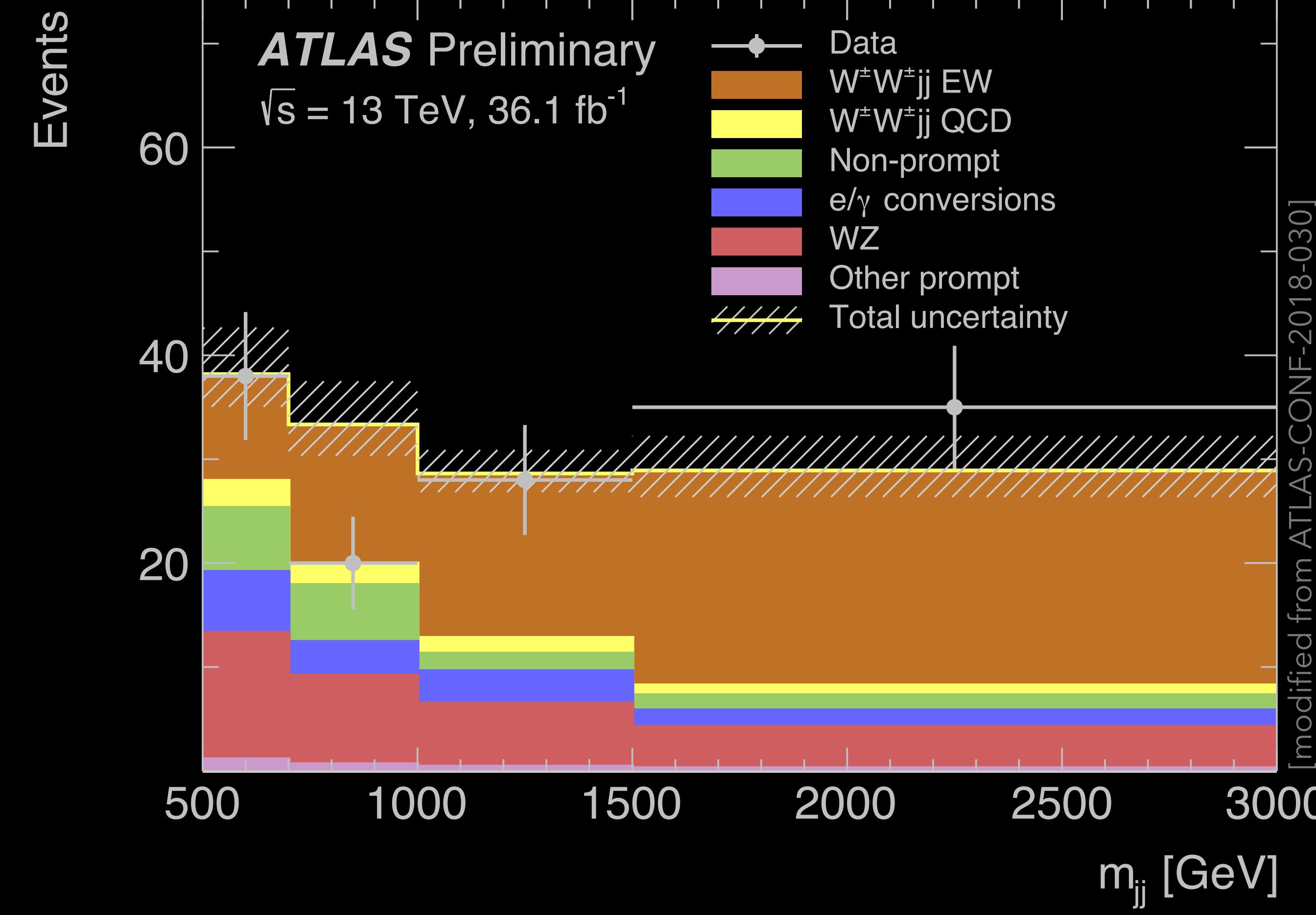
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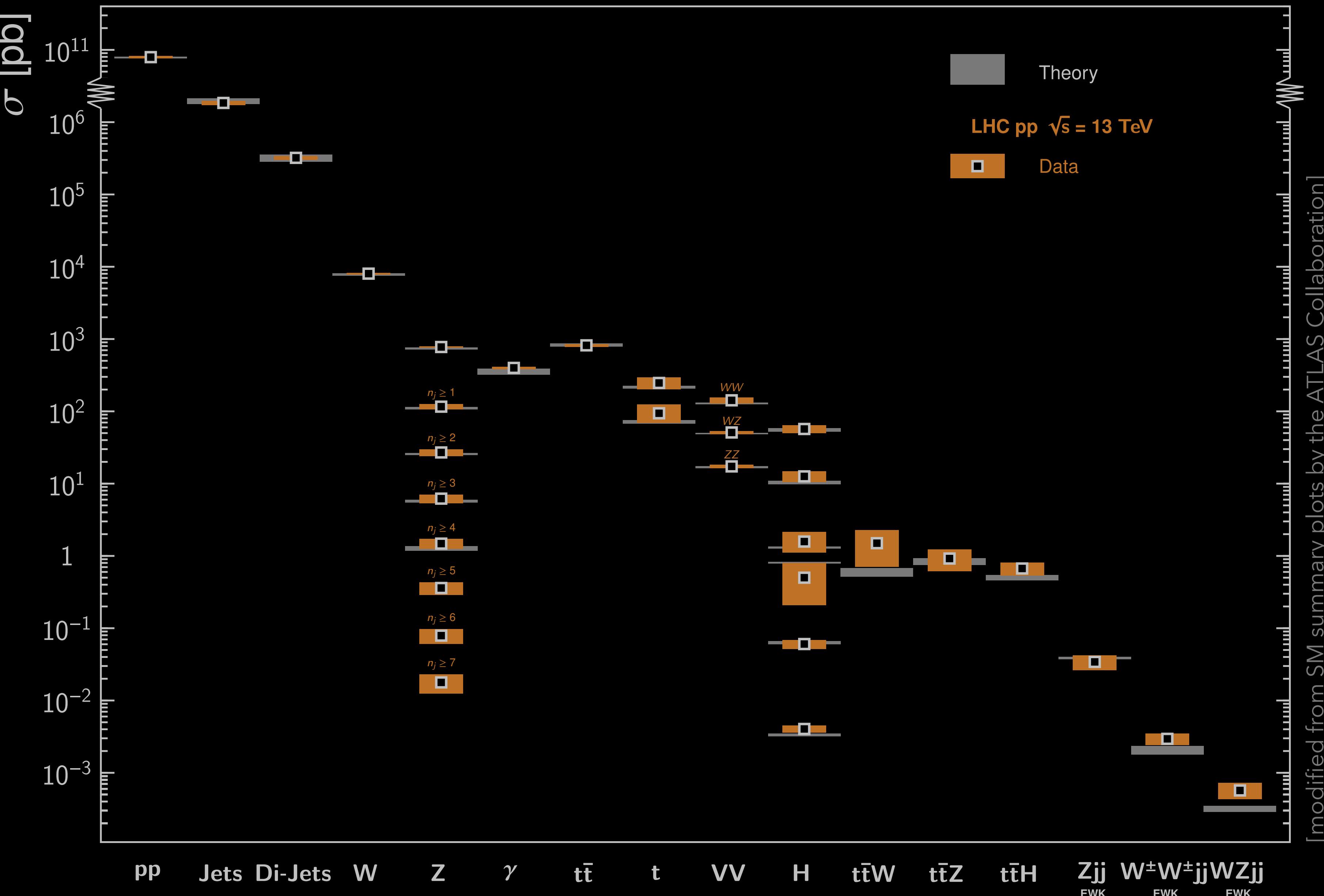
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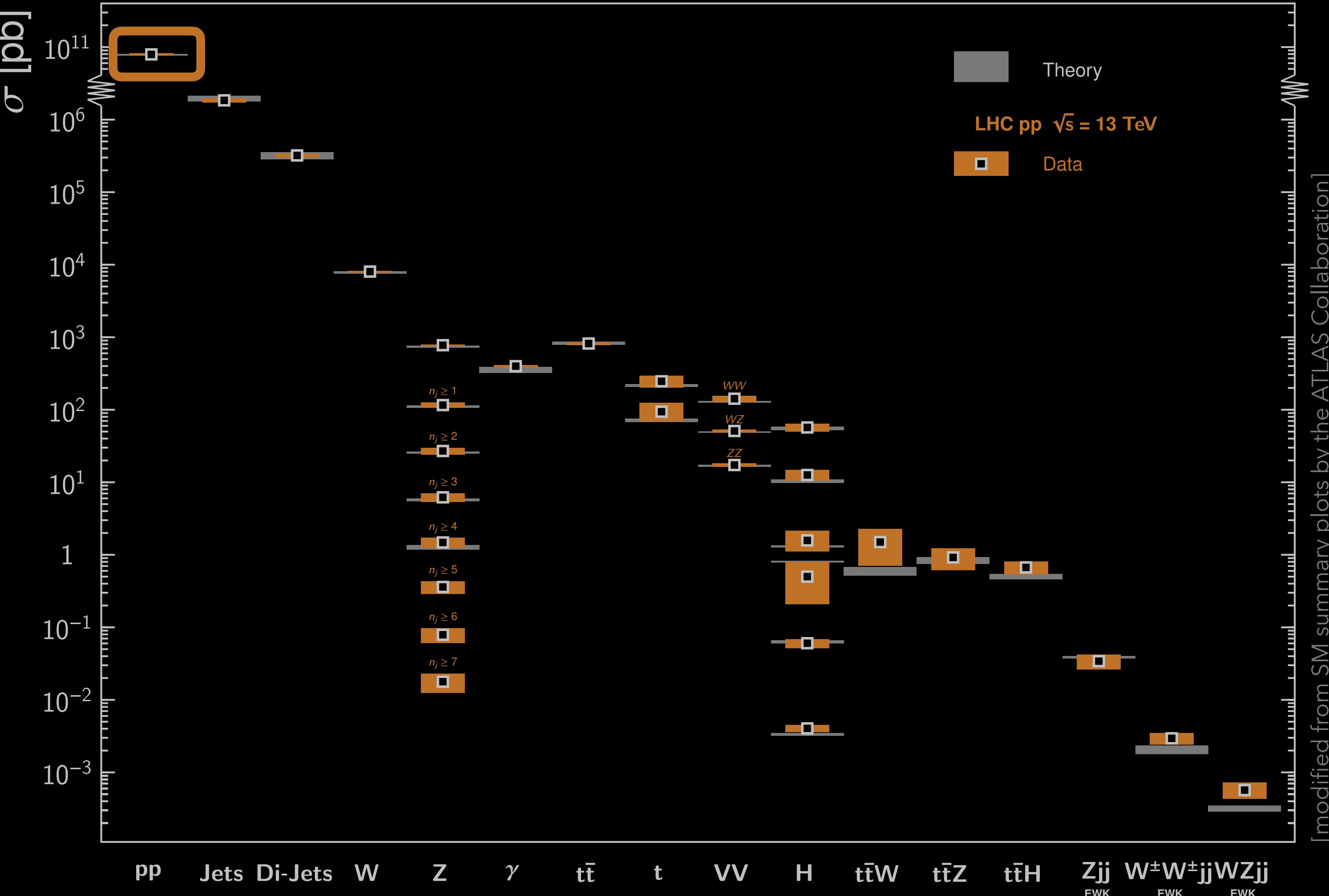
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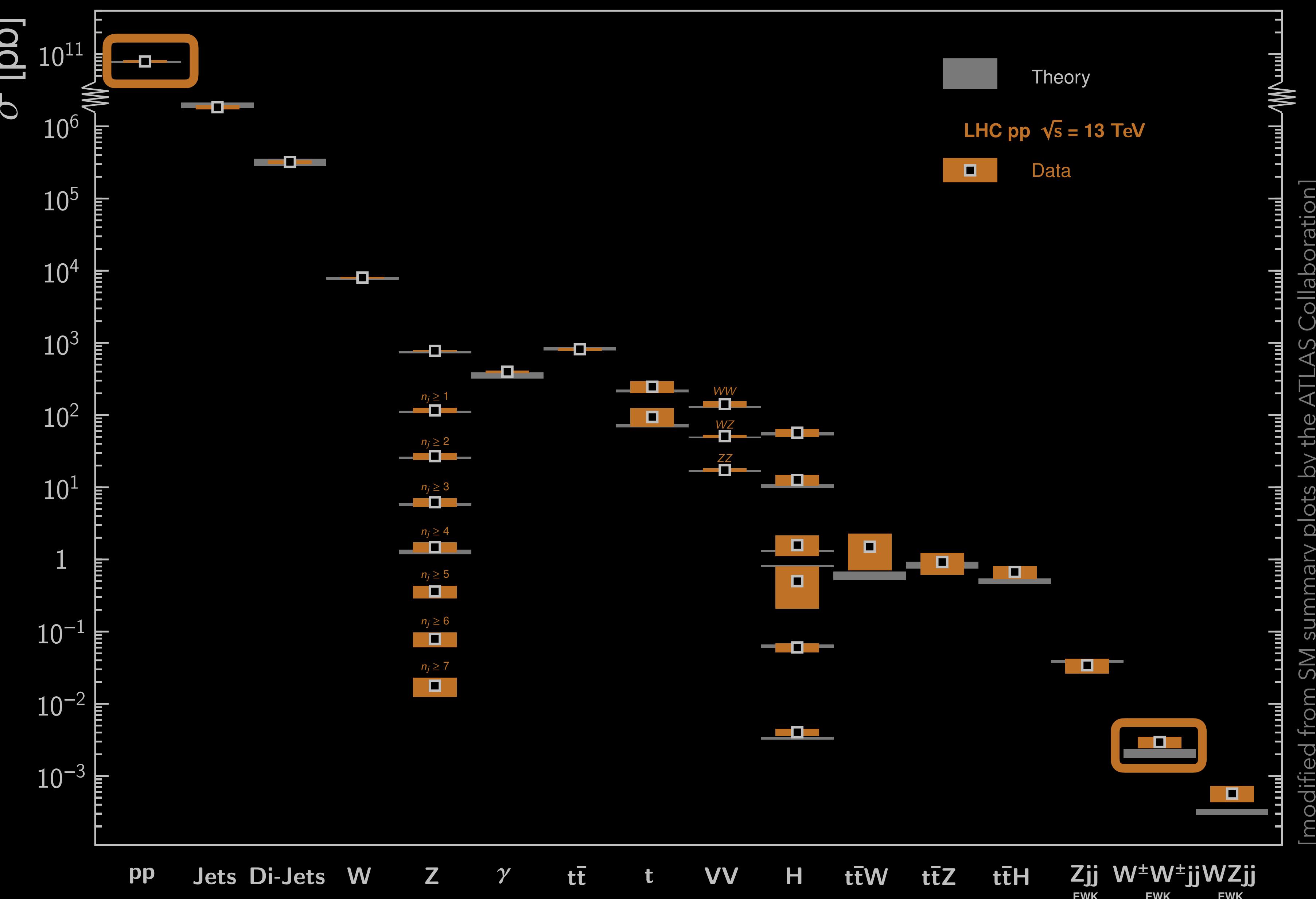
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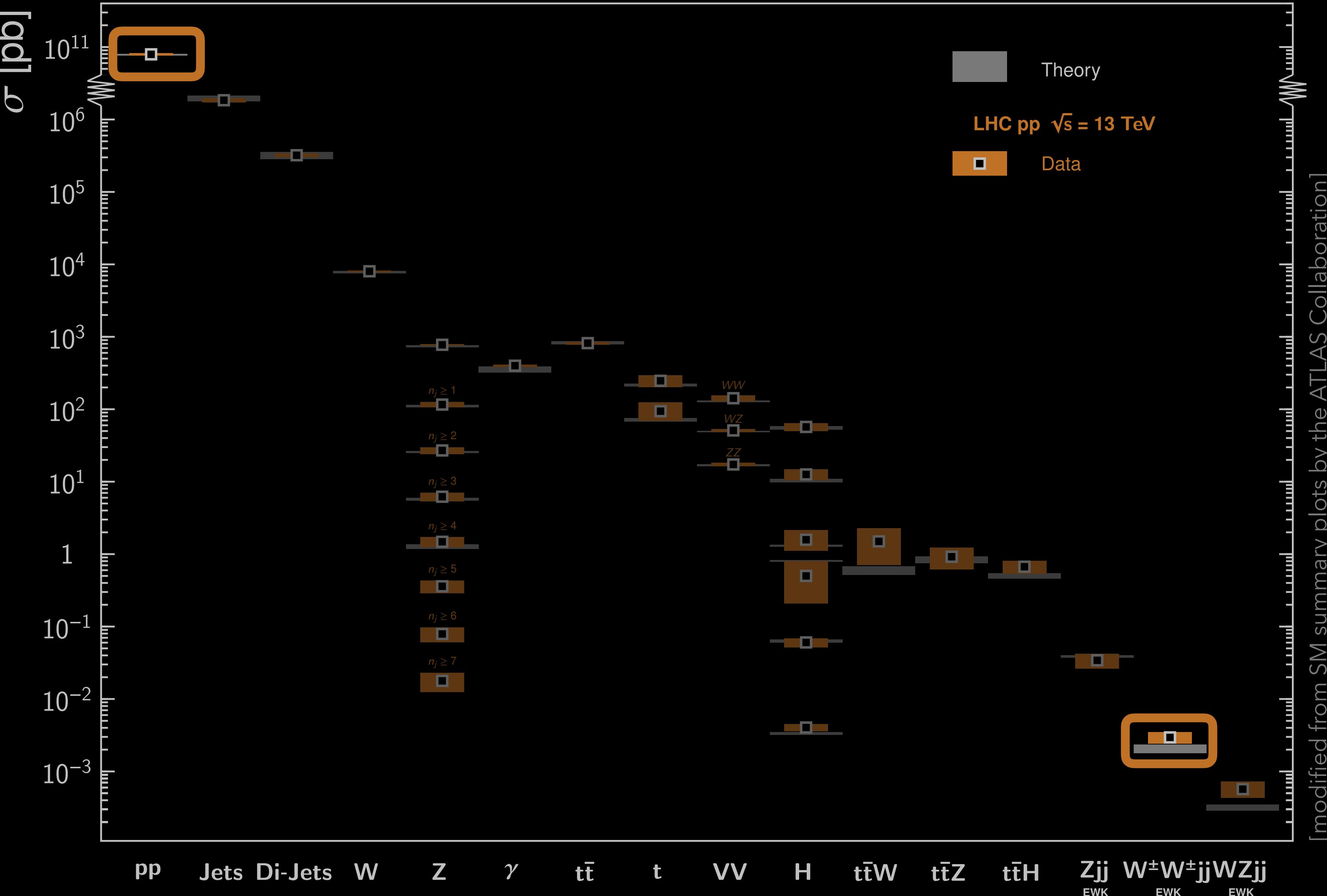
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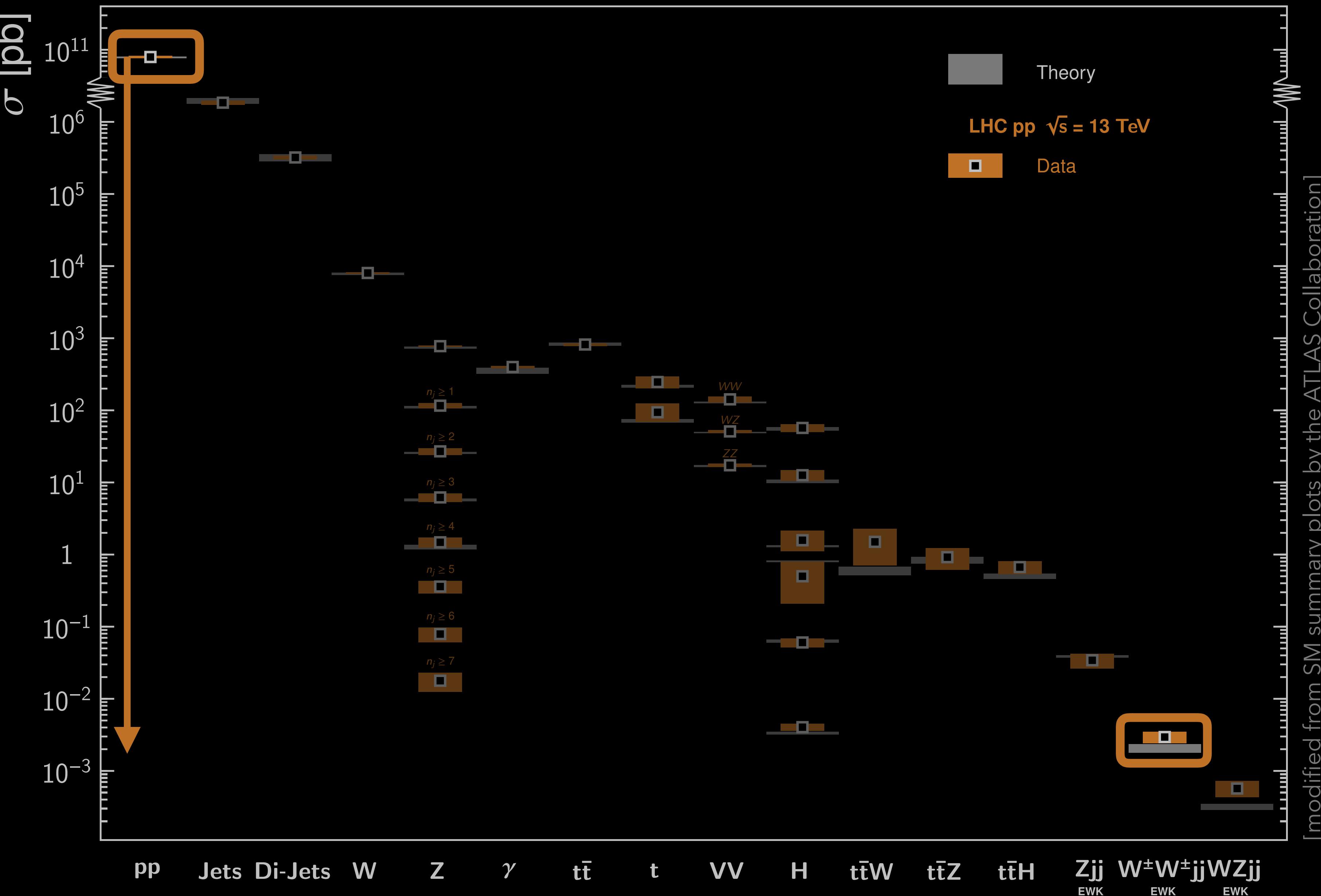
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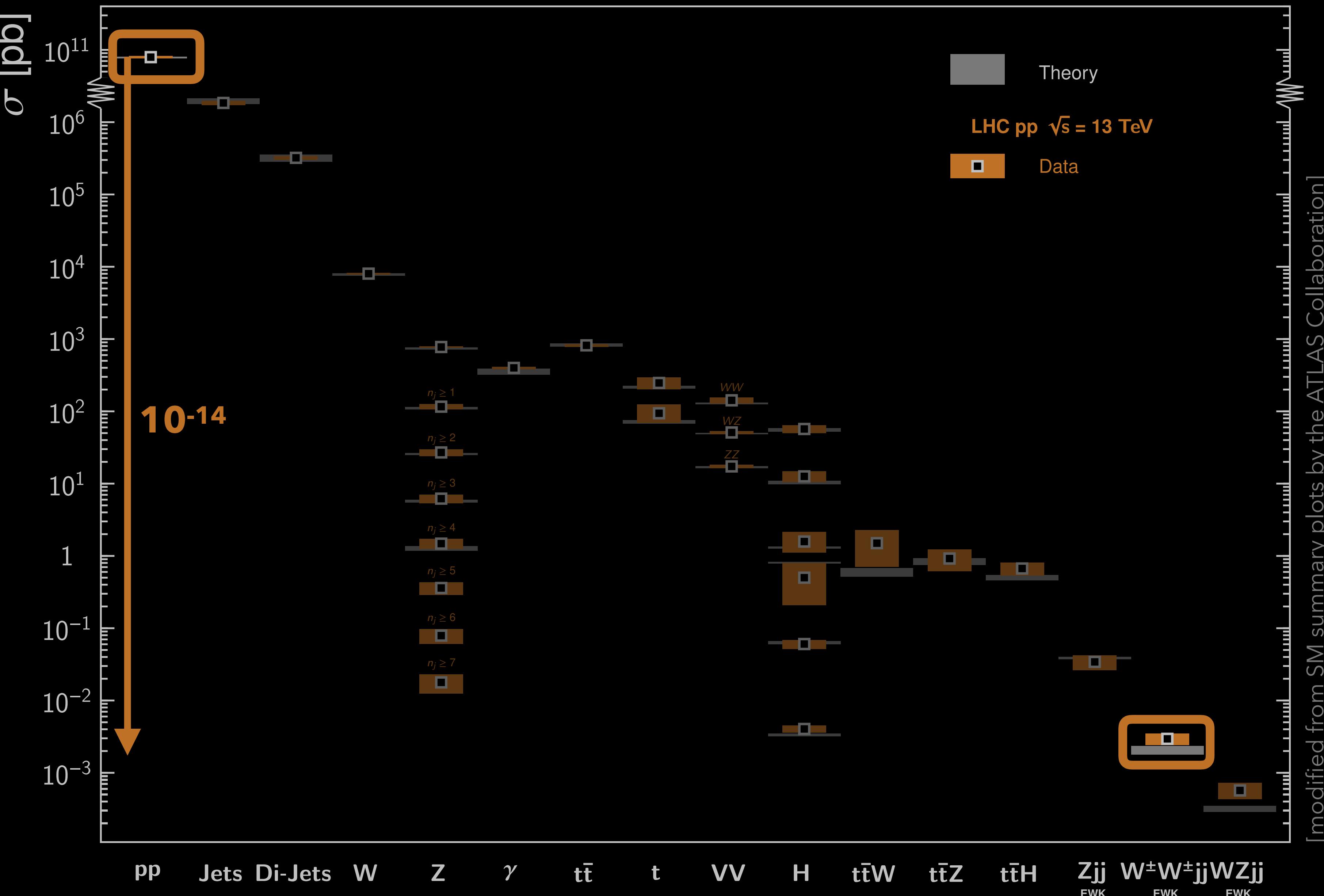
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## MACHINE DEVELOPMENT: BEAM DUMP

Energy:

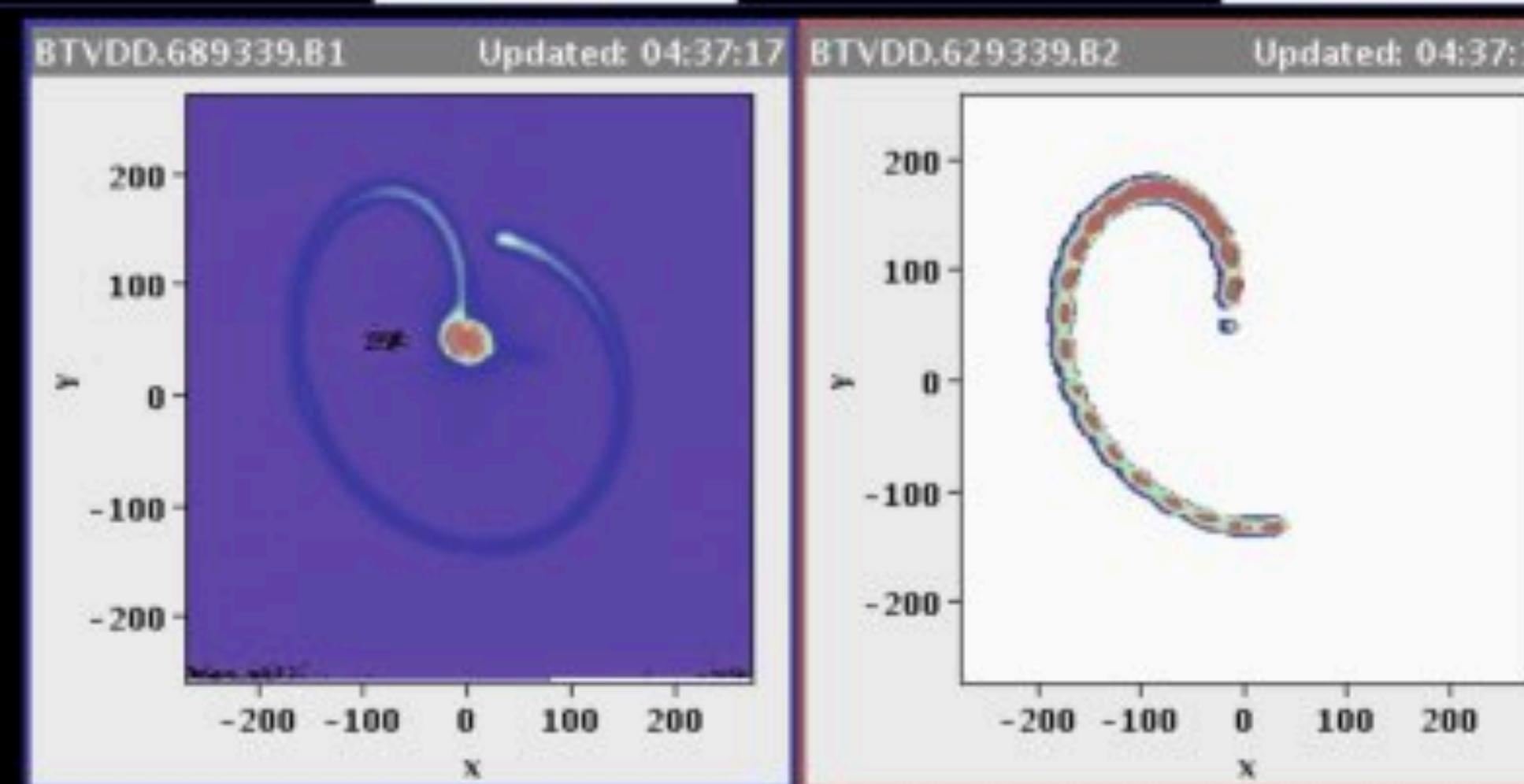
450 Z GeV

I(B1):

4.24e+08

I(B2):

0.00e+00



Comments (03-Dec-2018 04:38:24)

This was the last dump of Run2 !

Going to access today, estimate 2 years

BIS status and SMP flags	B1	B2
Link Status of Beam Permits	false	false
Global Beam Permit	false	false
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Beam Presence	false	false
Moveable Devices Allowed In	false	false
Stable Beams	false	false

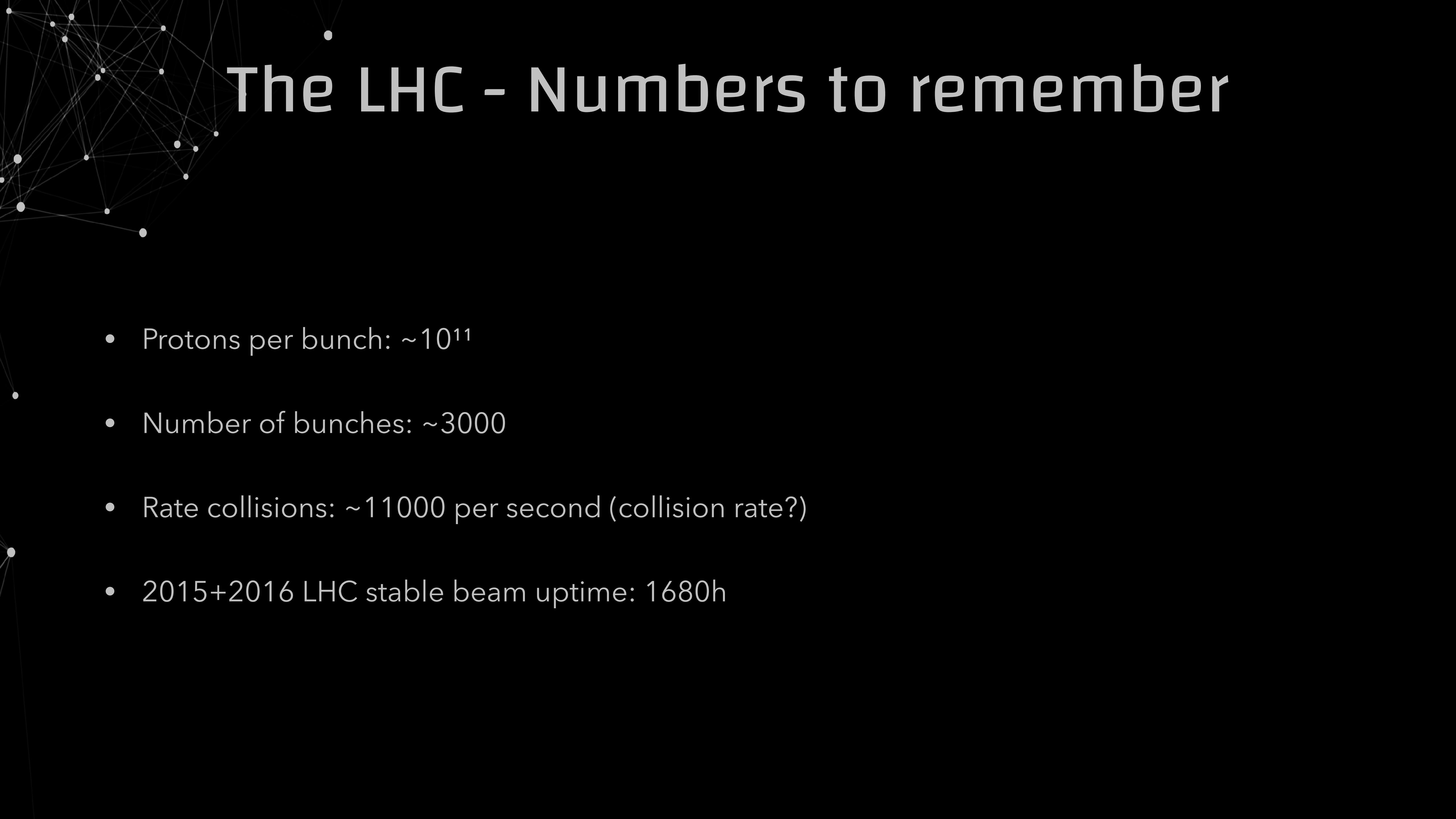


# Further Links

- More information about visiting CERN: <https://visit.cern>
- Volunteer computing with LHC@home <http://lhcatome.web.cern.ch>
- Study partial datasets at <http://opendata.cern.ch>
- Title font: <https://www.fontsquirrel.com/fonts/changa>
- Slide template based on designs by GarryKillian - [Freepik.com](http://Freepik.com)



# Backup



# The LHC - Numbers to remember

- Protons per bunch:  $\sim 10^{11}$
- Number of bunches:  $\sim 3000$
- Rate collisions:  $\sim 11000$  per second (collision rate?)
- 2015+2016 LHC stable beam uptime: 1680h