

# Bekenstein-Hawking entropy from strange metals

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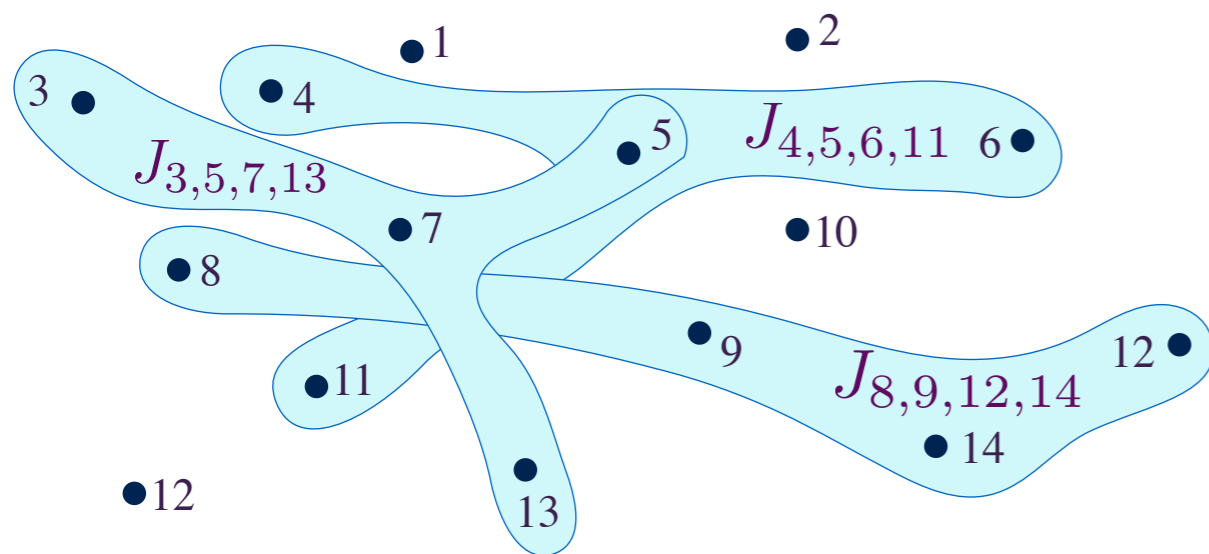


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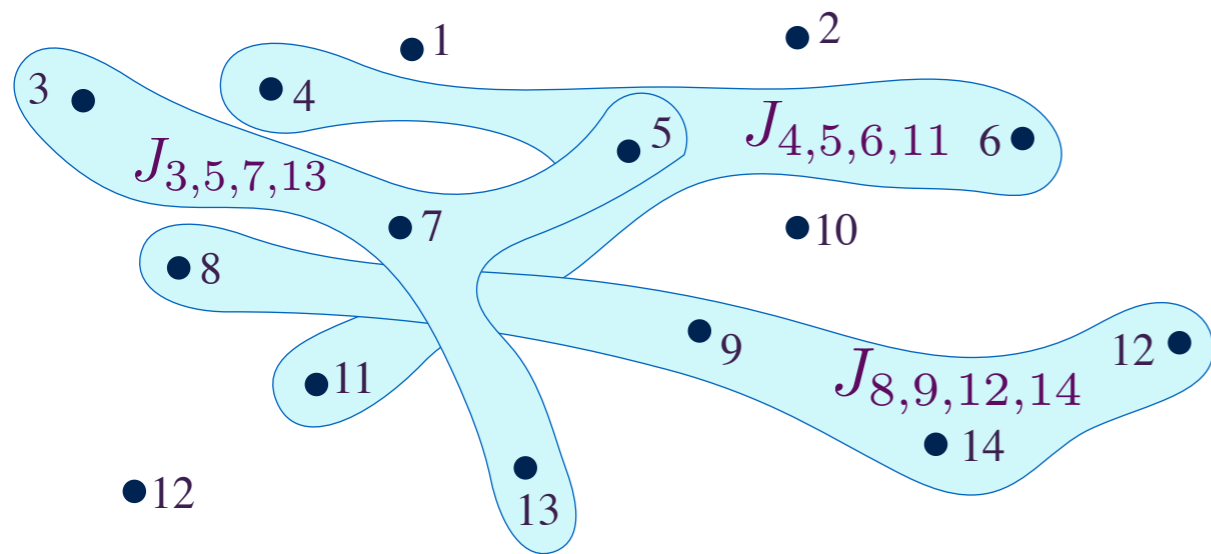
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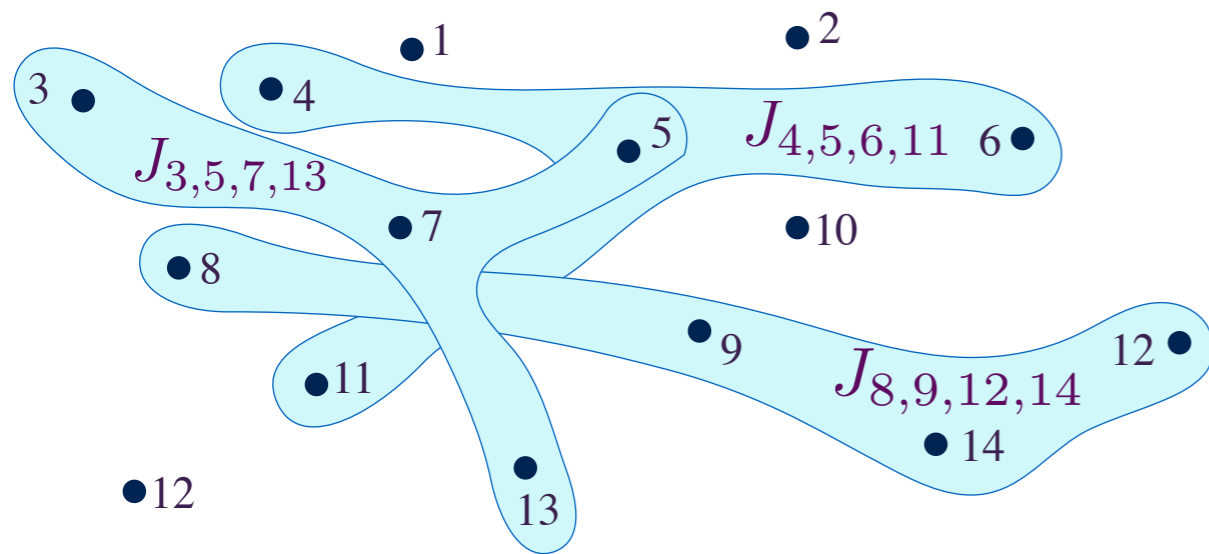
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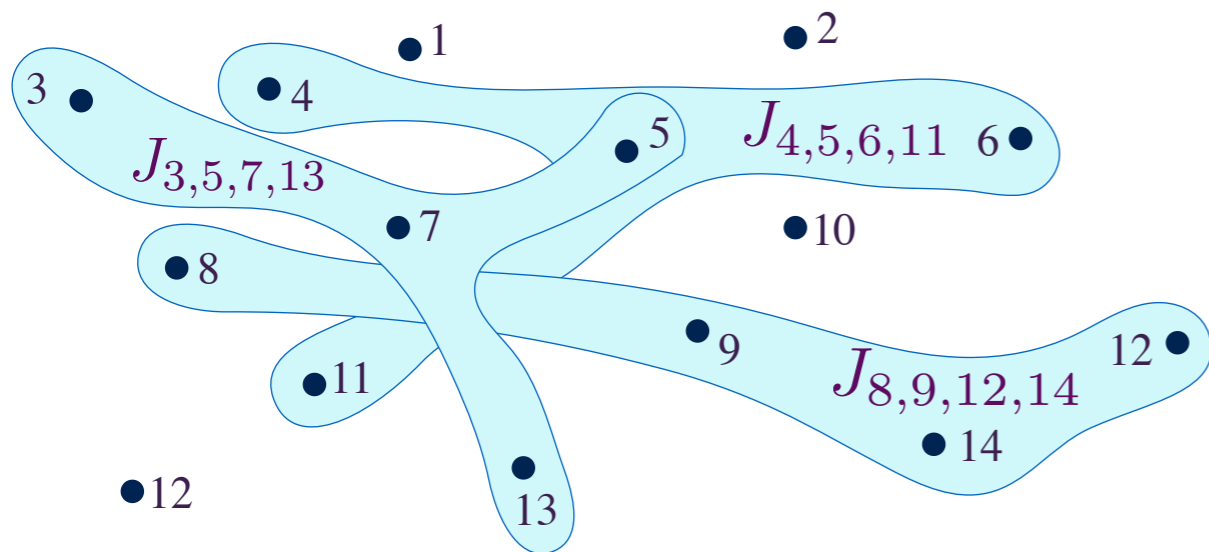
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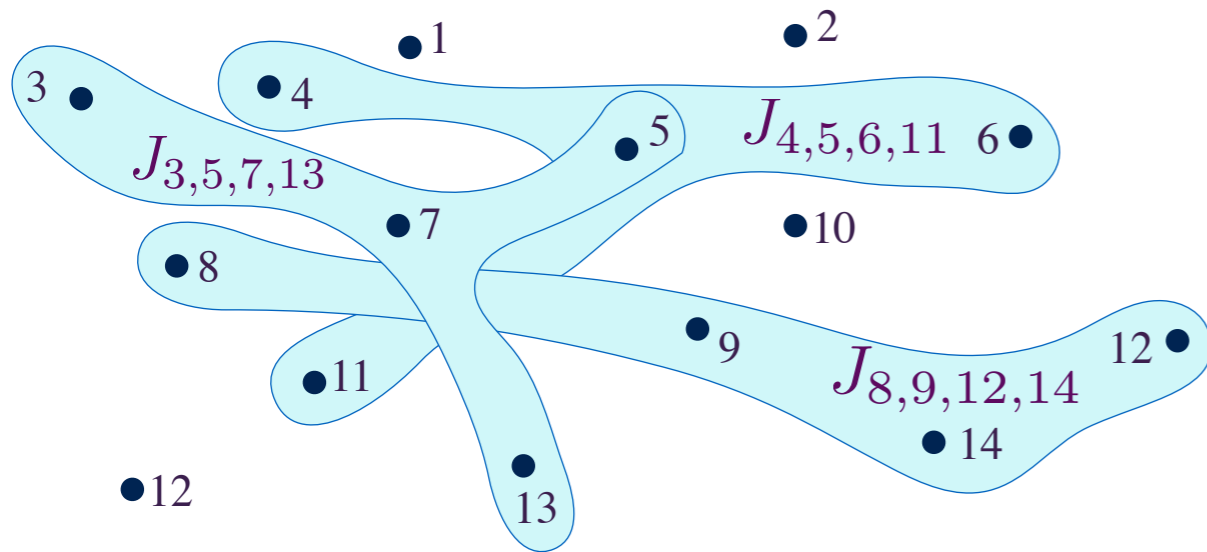
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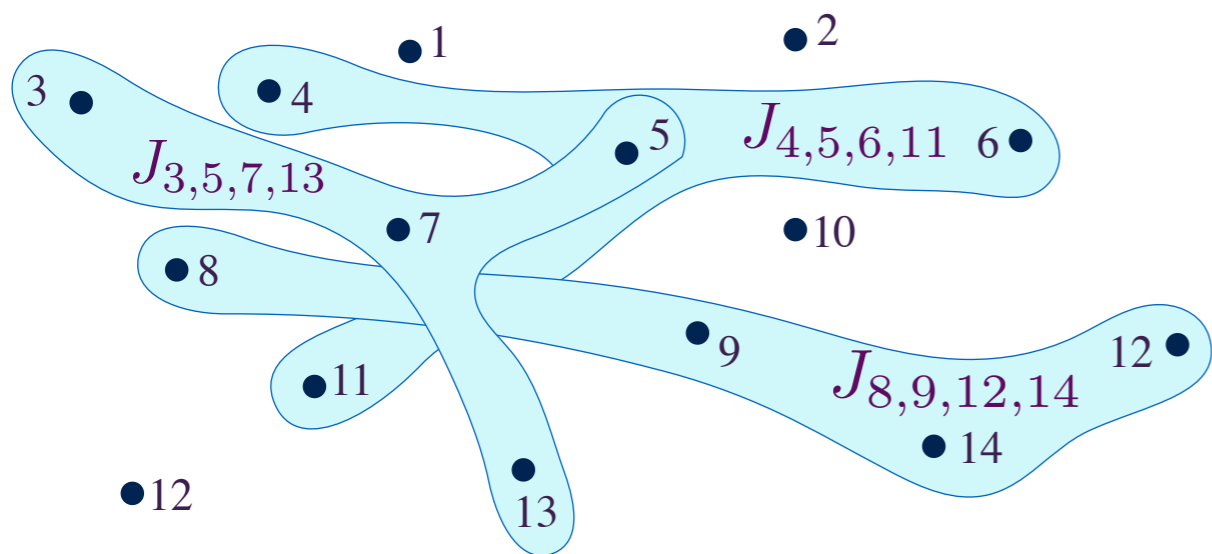
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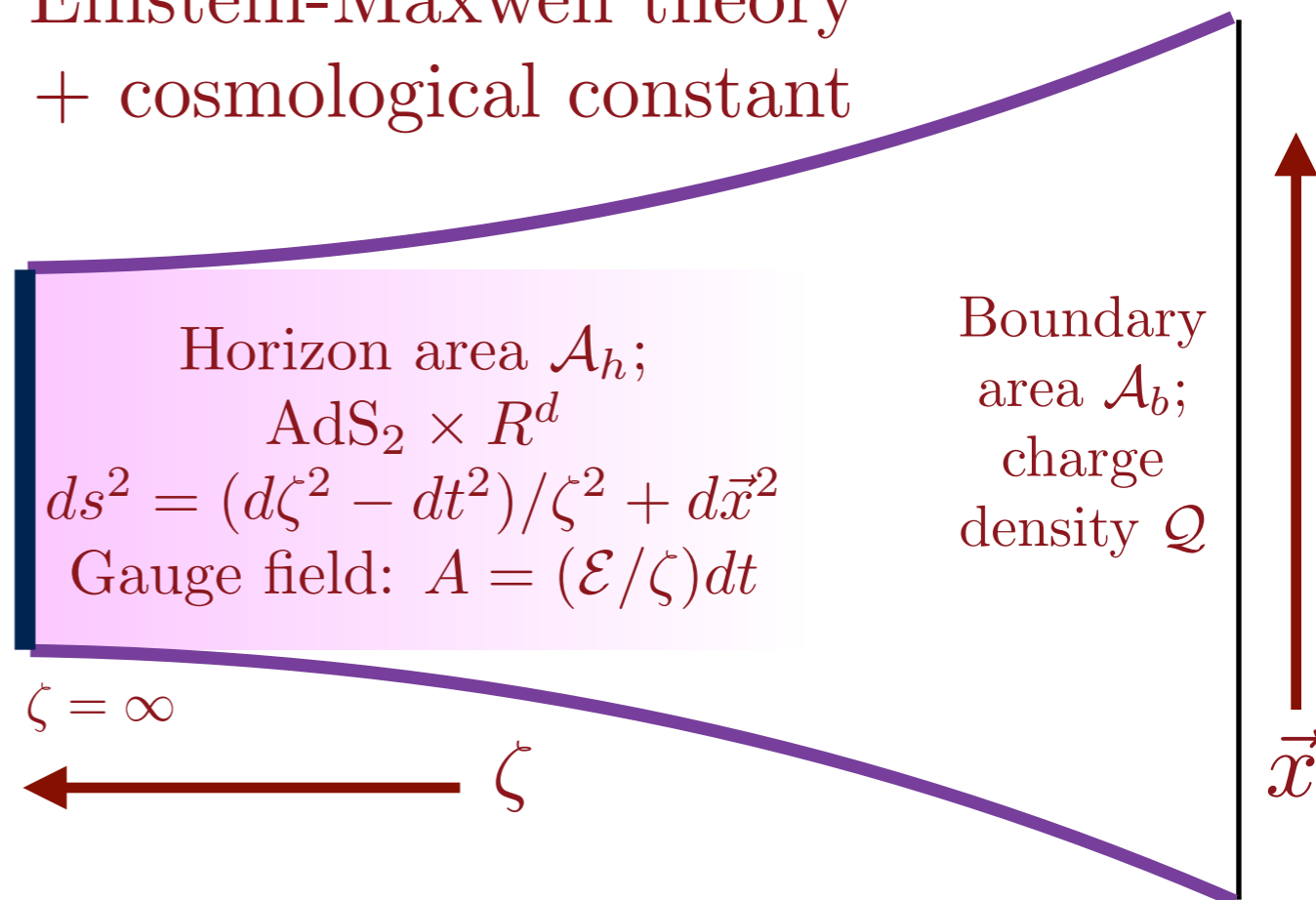
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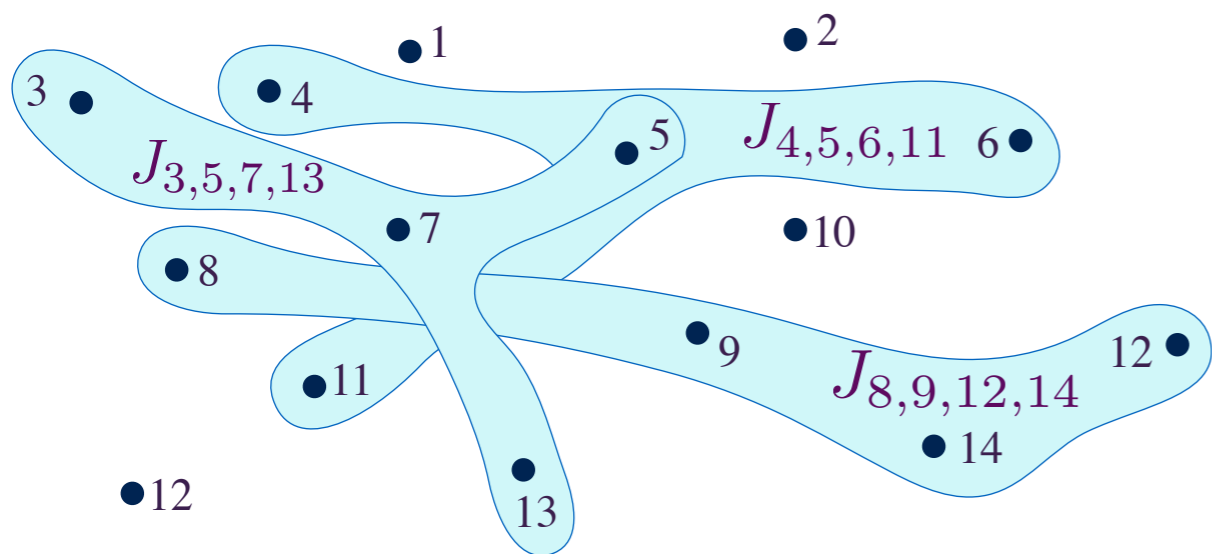
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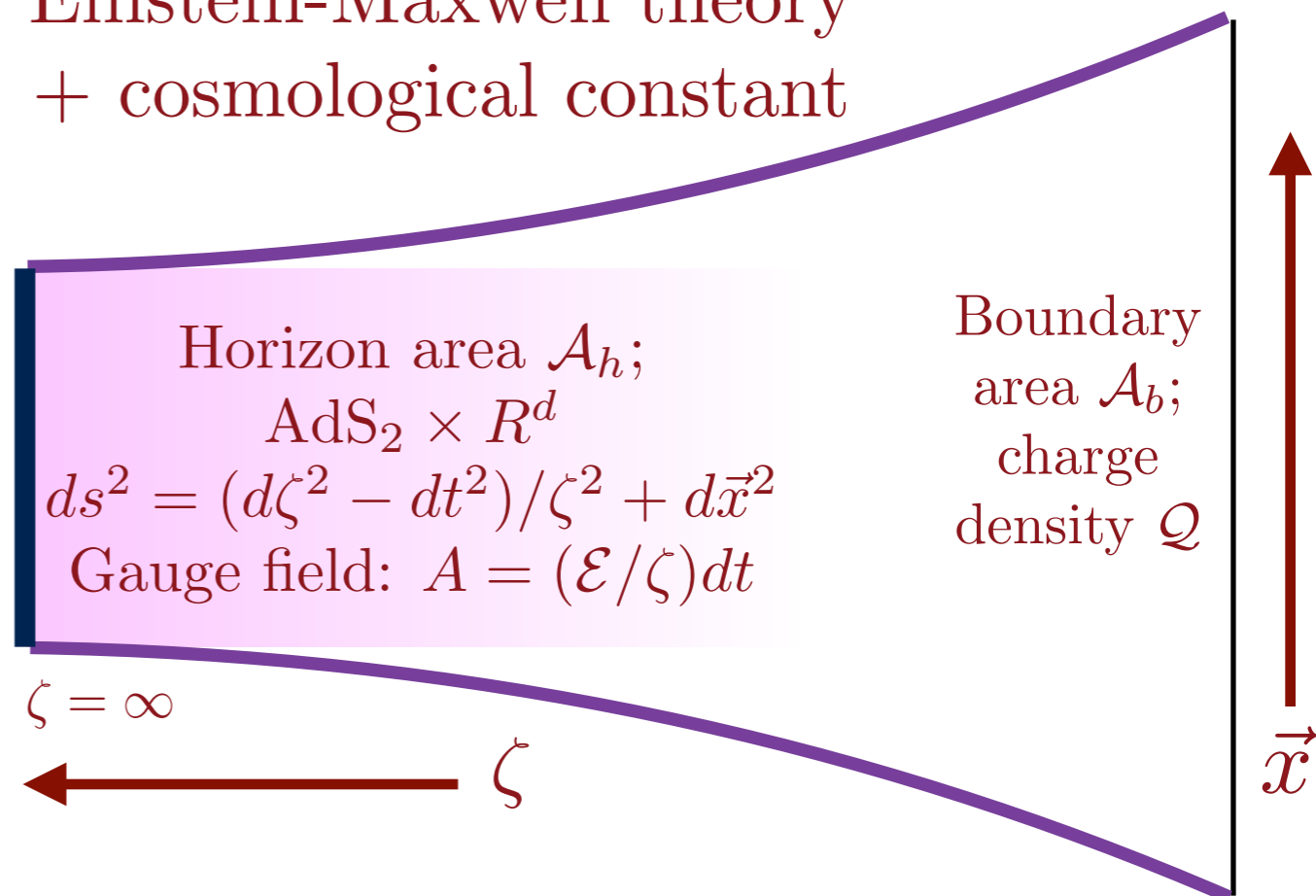
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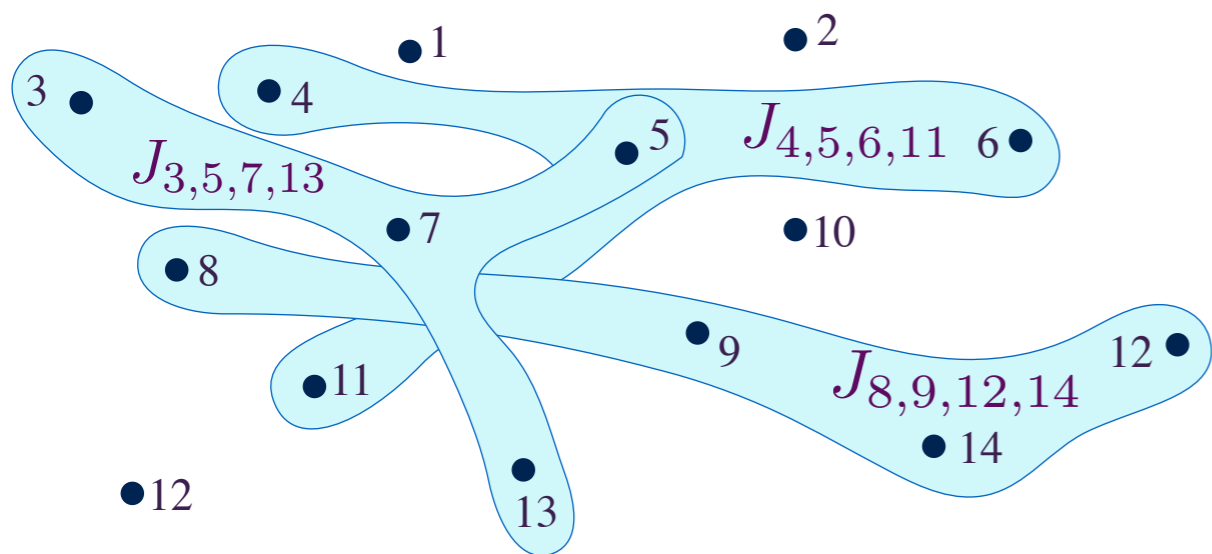
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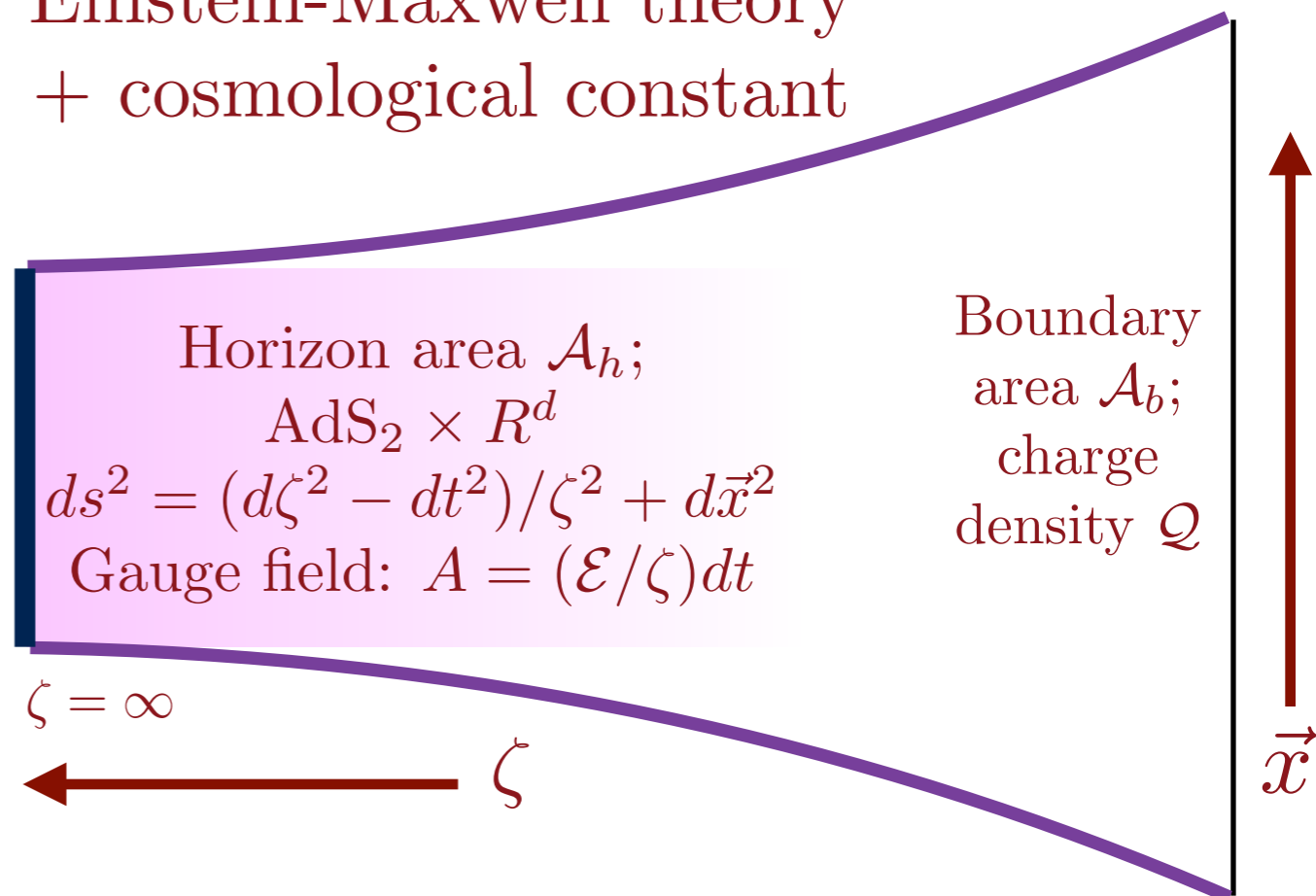
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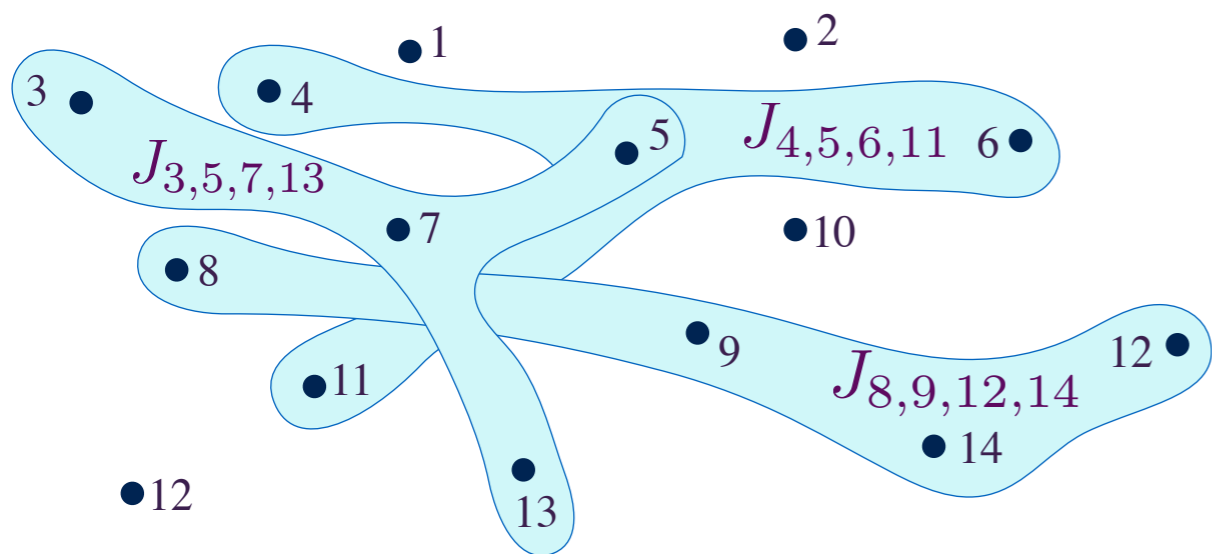
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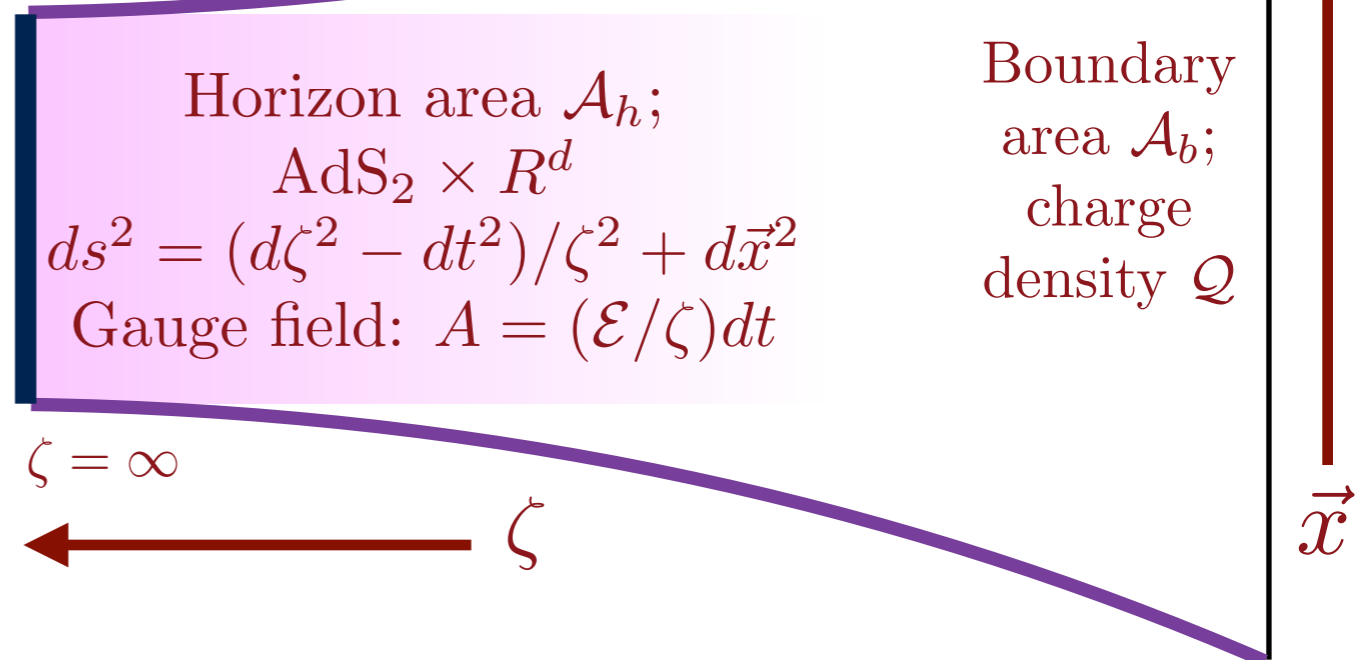
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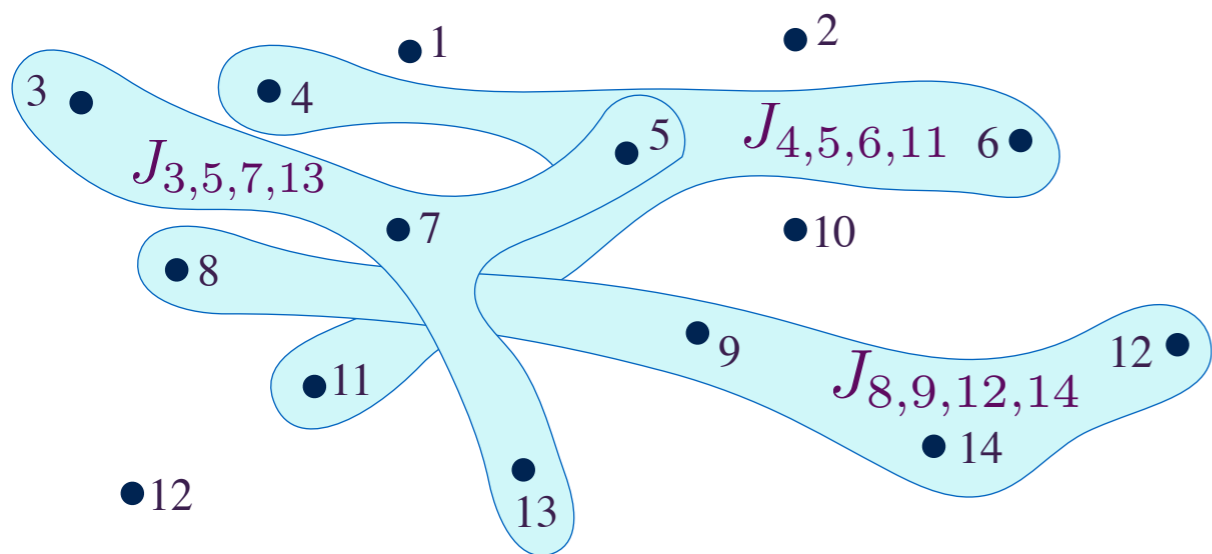
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 Gauge field:  $A = (\mathcal{E}/\zeta)dt$

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