

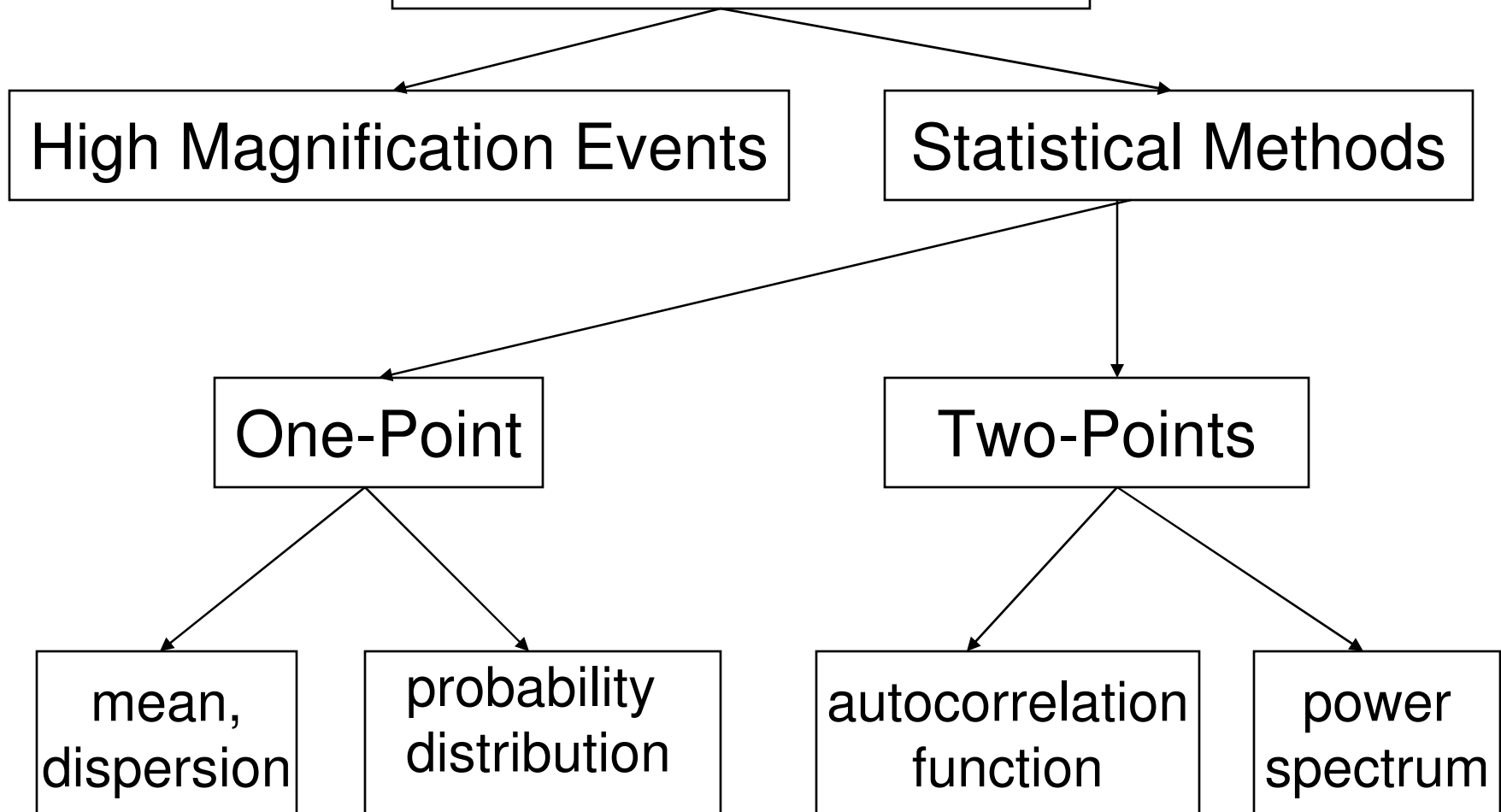
25 YEARS AFTER THE DISCOVERY: SOME CURRENT TOPICS ON LENSED QSOs

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Spectral analysis of quasar microlensing

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ANALYSIS METHODS



Autocorrelation function and power spectrum

$$p(\Delta \mathbf{r}) = \langle f(\mathbf{r}) f(\mathbf{r} + \Delta \mathbf{r}) \rangle \quad \text{autocorrelation function}$$

$$P(\mathbf{k}) = \left\langle \left| \int f(\mathbf{r}) \exp(-i2\pi \mathbf{k} \mathbf{r}) d\mathbf{r} \right|^2 \right\rangle \quad \text{power spectrum}$$

$$P(\mathbf{k}) = \int p(\Delta \mathbf{r}) \exp(-i2\pi \mathbf{k} \Delta \mathbf{r}) d\Delta \mathbf{r} \quad \text{Wiener-Khinchin theorem}$$

Coordinate smoothing

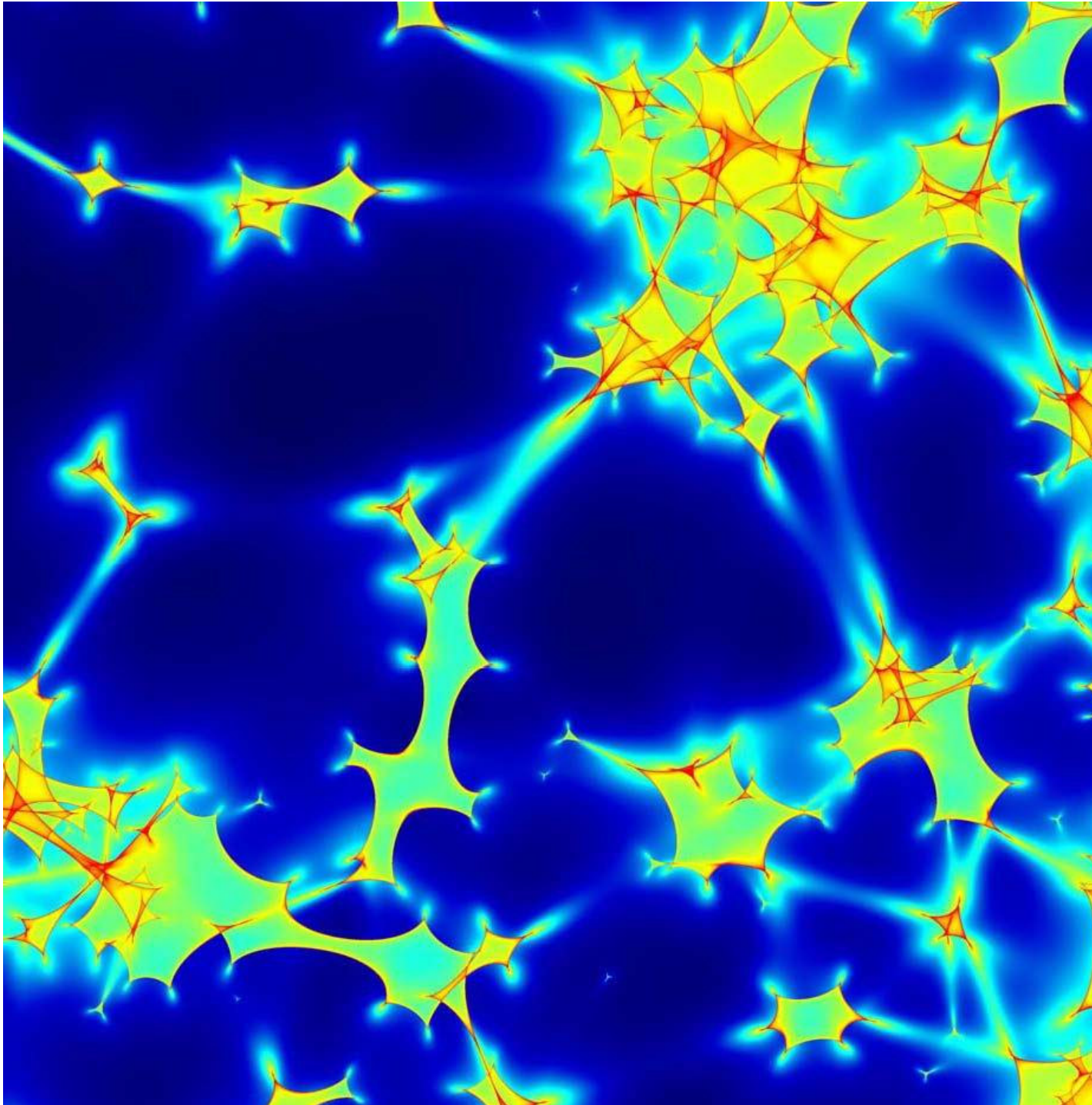
$$\int f(\mathbf{r}) h(\boldsymbol{\rho} - \mathbf{r}) d\mathbf{r}$$

$$\int p(\Delta \mathbf{r}) h(\Delta \boldsymbol{\rho} - \Delta \mathbf{r}) d\Delta \mathbf{r}$$

Frequency weighting

$$F(\mathbf{k}) H(\mathbf{k})$$

$$P(\mathbf{k}) H(\mathbf{k})$$

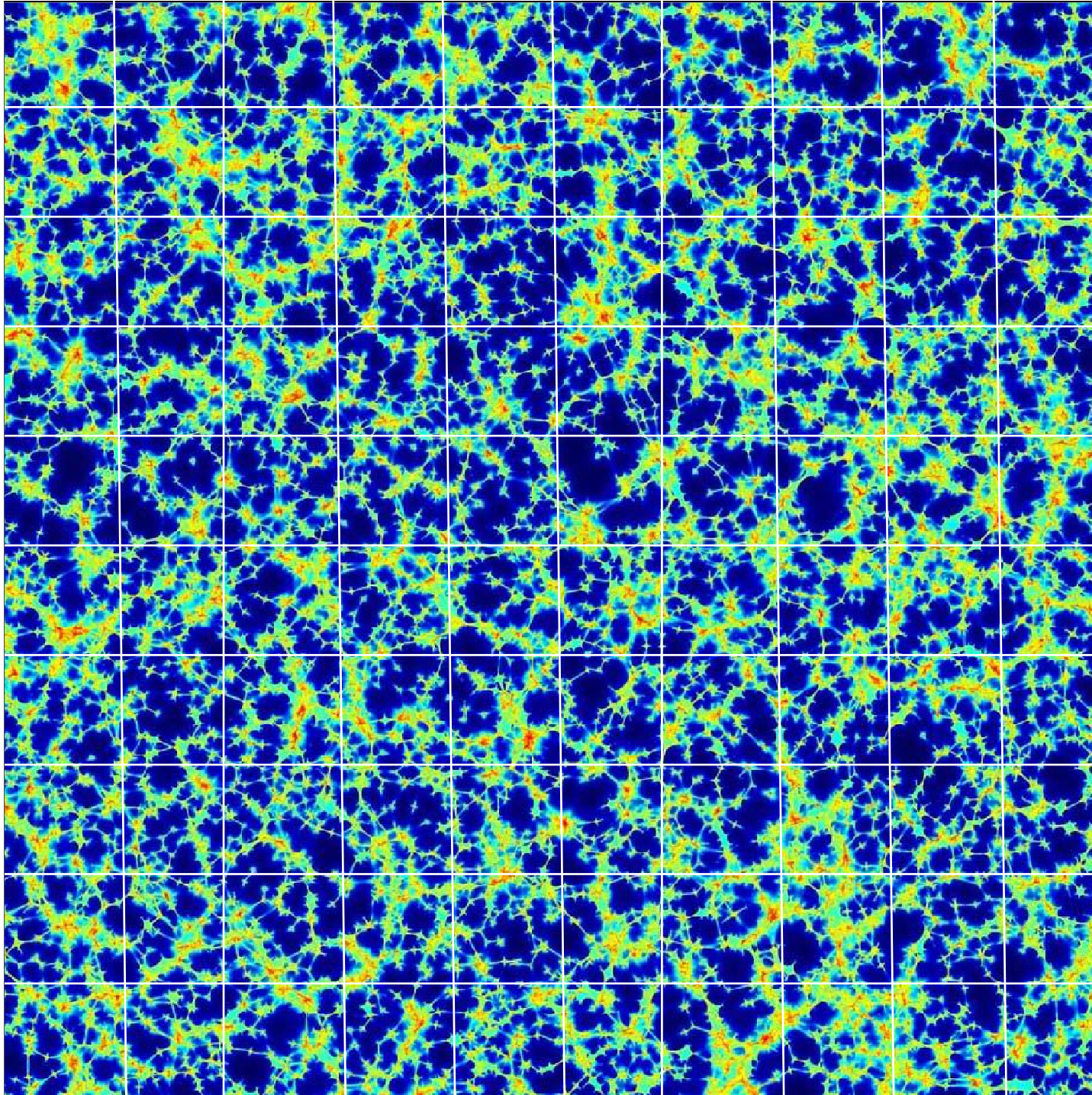


Magnification
pattern

$$k = 0.4$$

$$\gamma = 0$$

$$L = 20 R_e$$

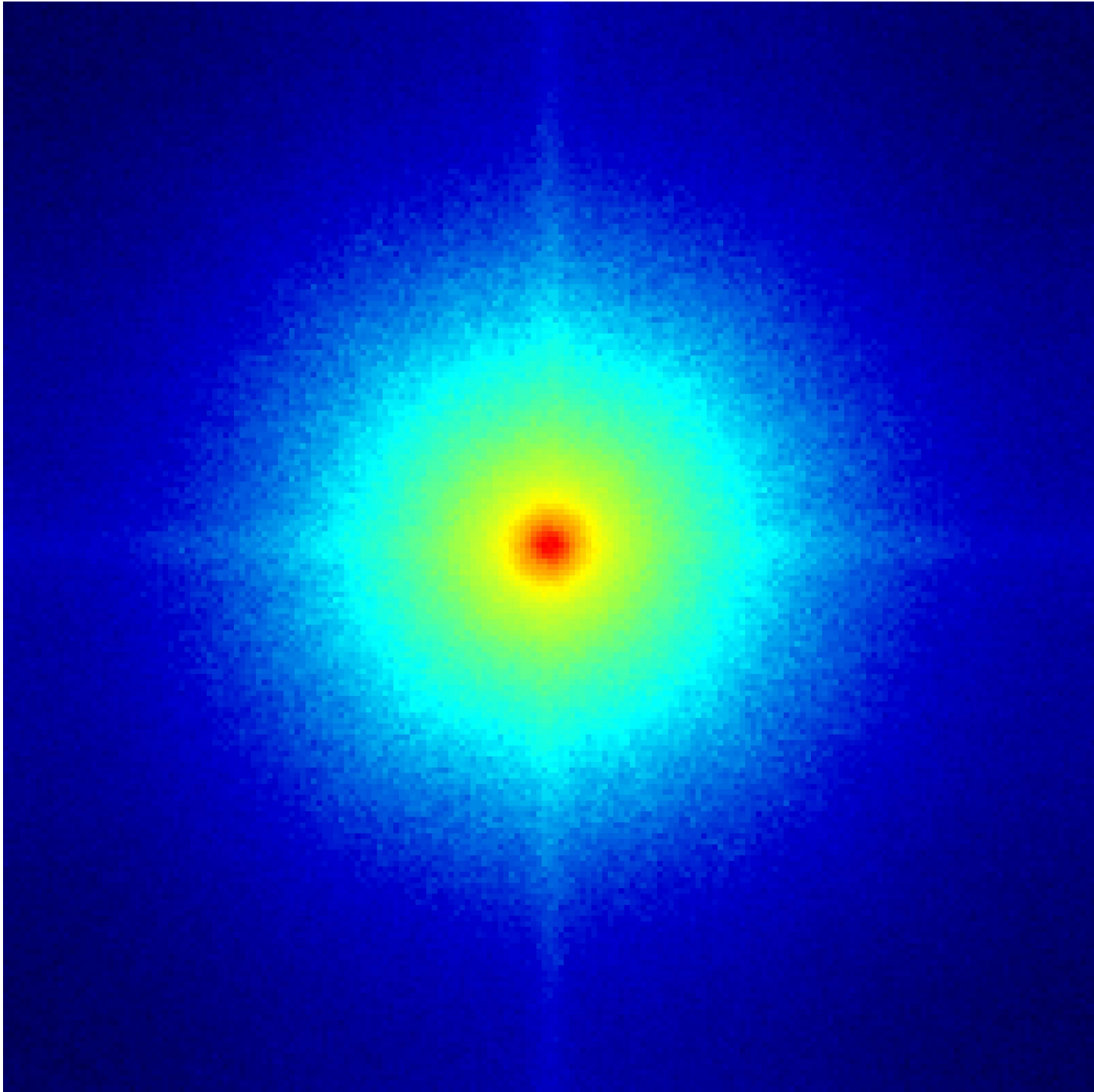


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Spectrum

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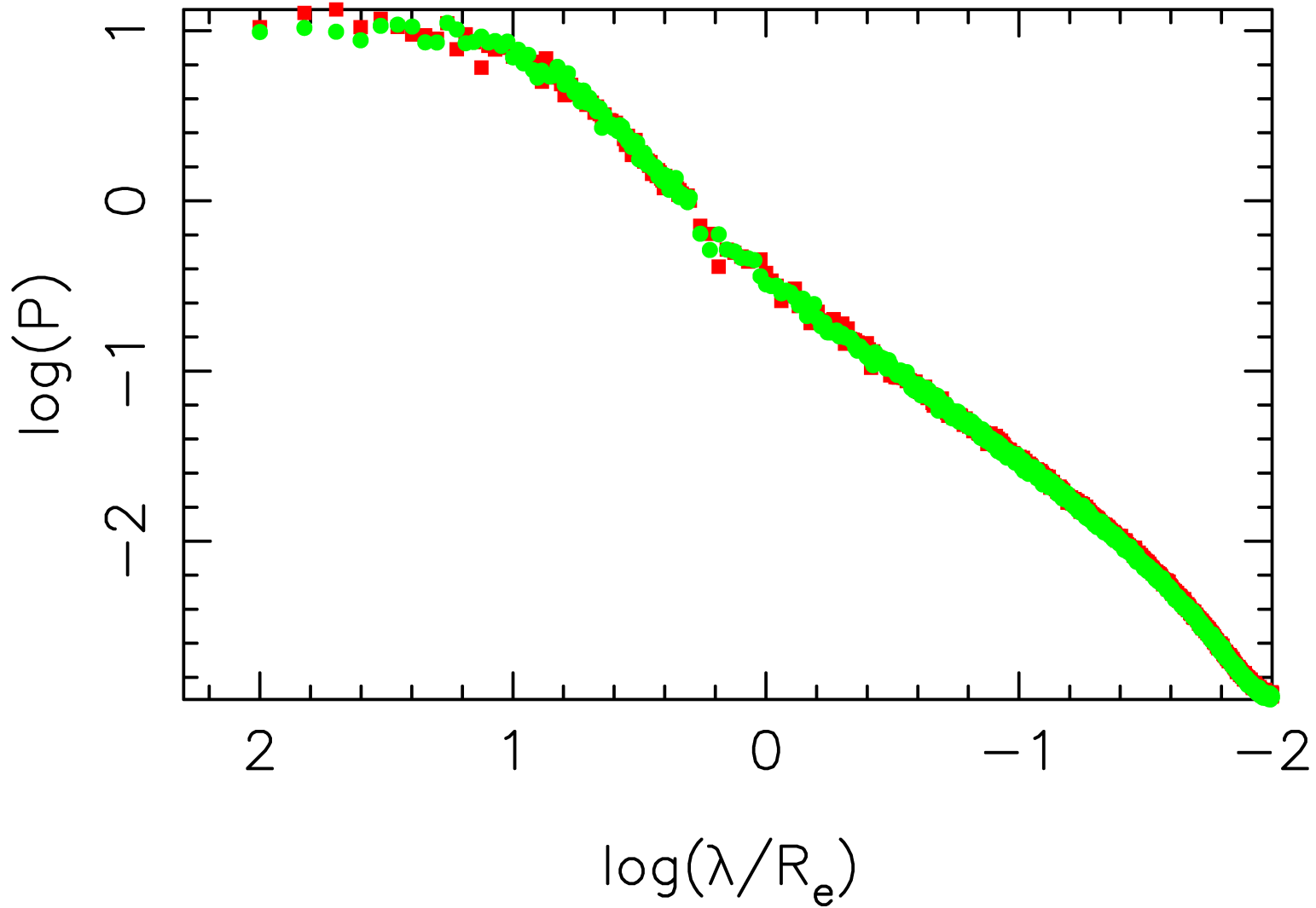
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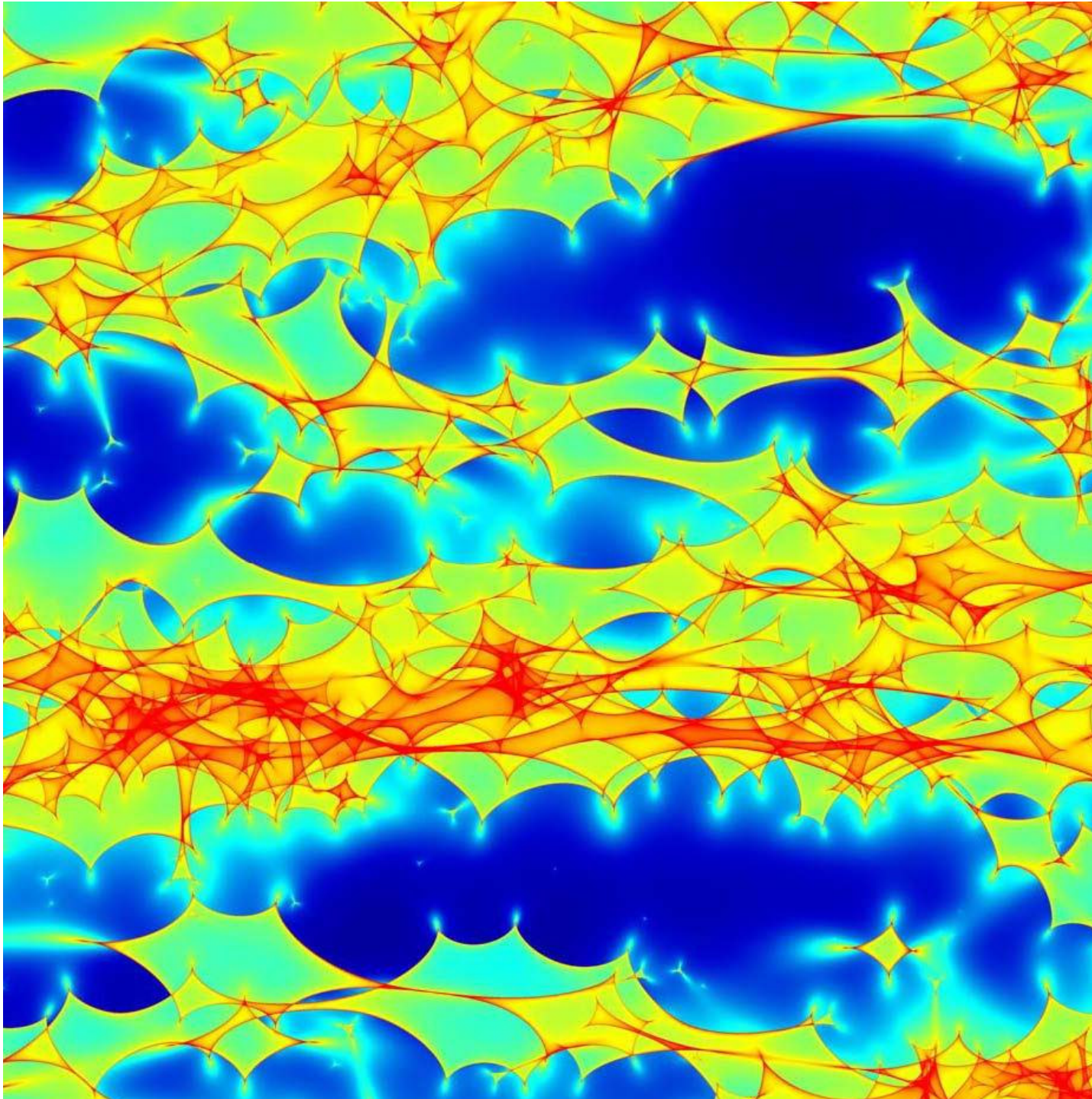
$$L = 20 R_e$$

Spectral projections $k = 0.4, \gamma = 0$

$$P_x(k_x) = \int P(k_x, k_y) dk_y$$

$$P_y(k_y) = \int P(k_x, k_y) dk_x$$



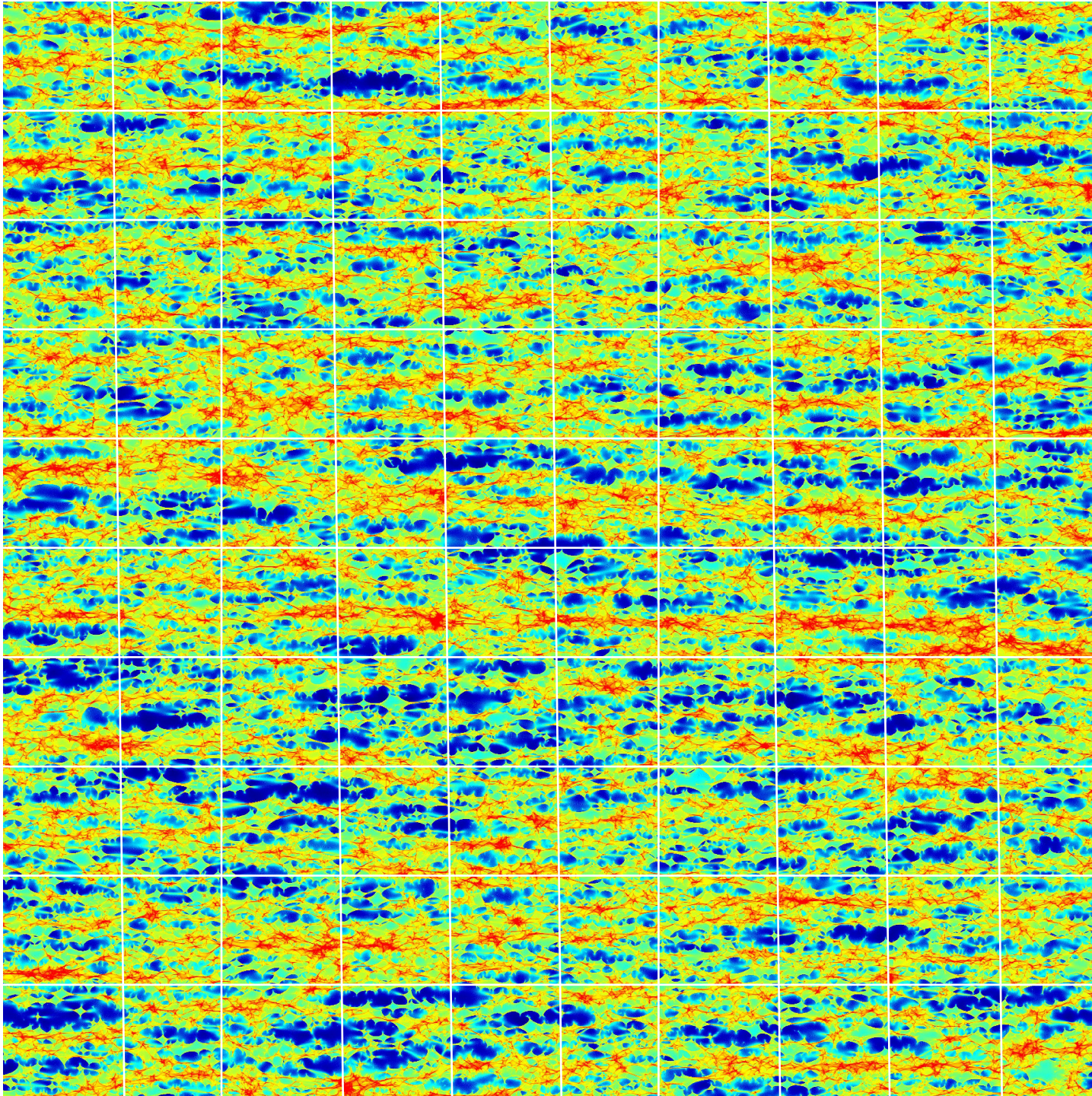


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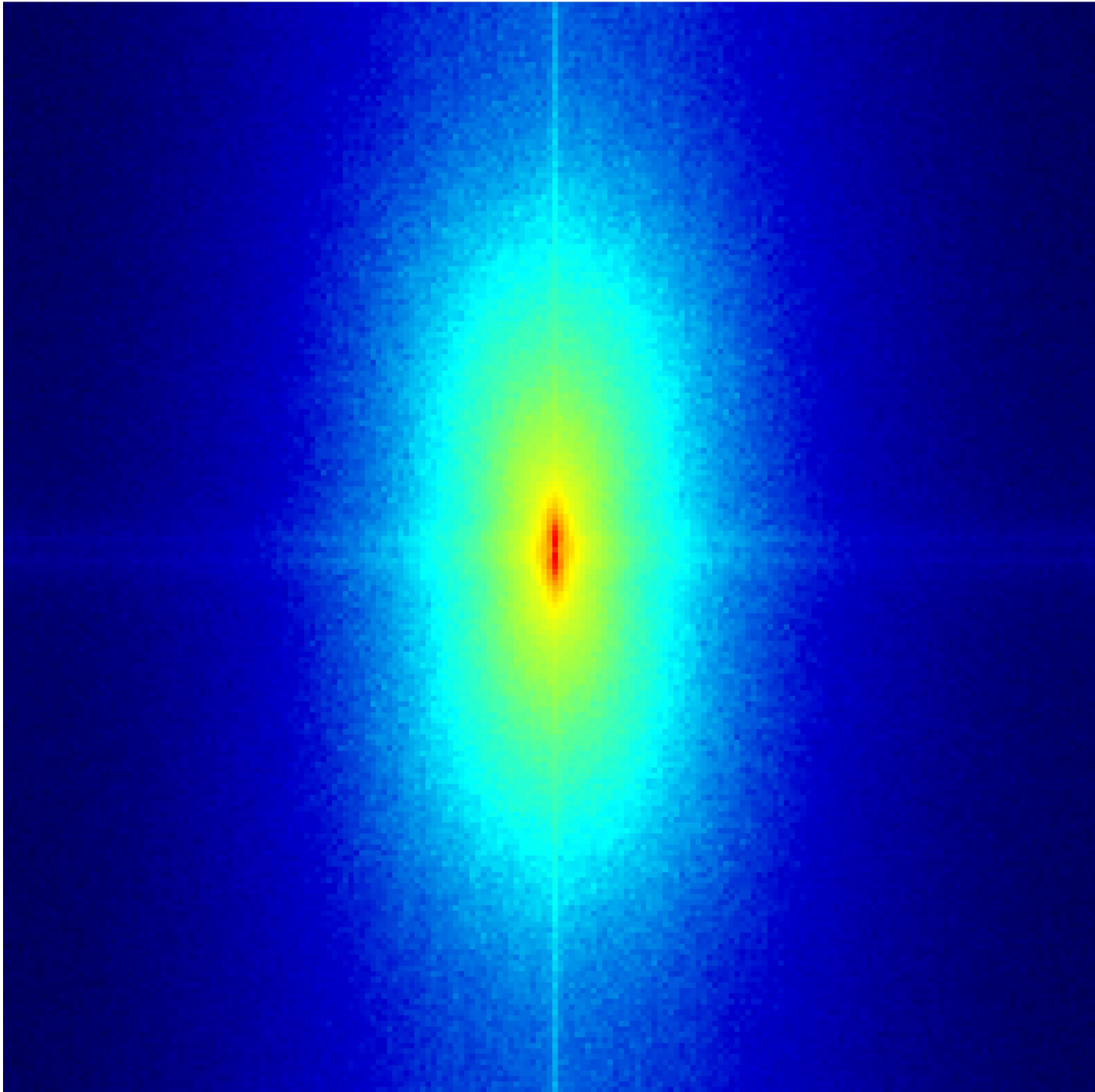


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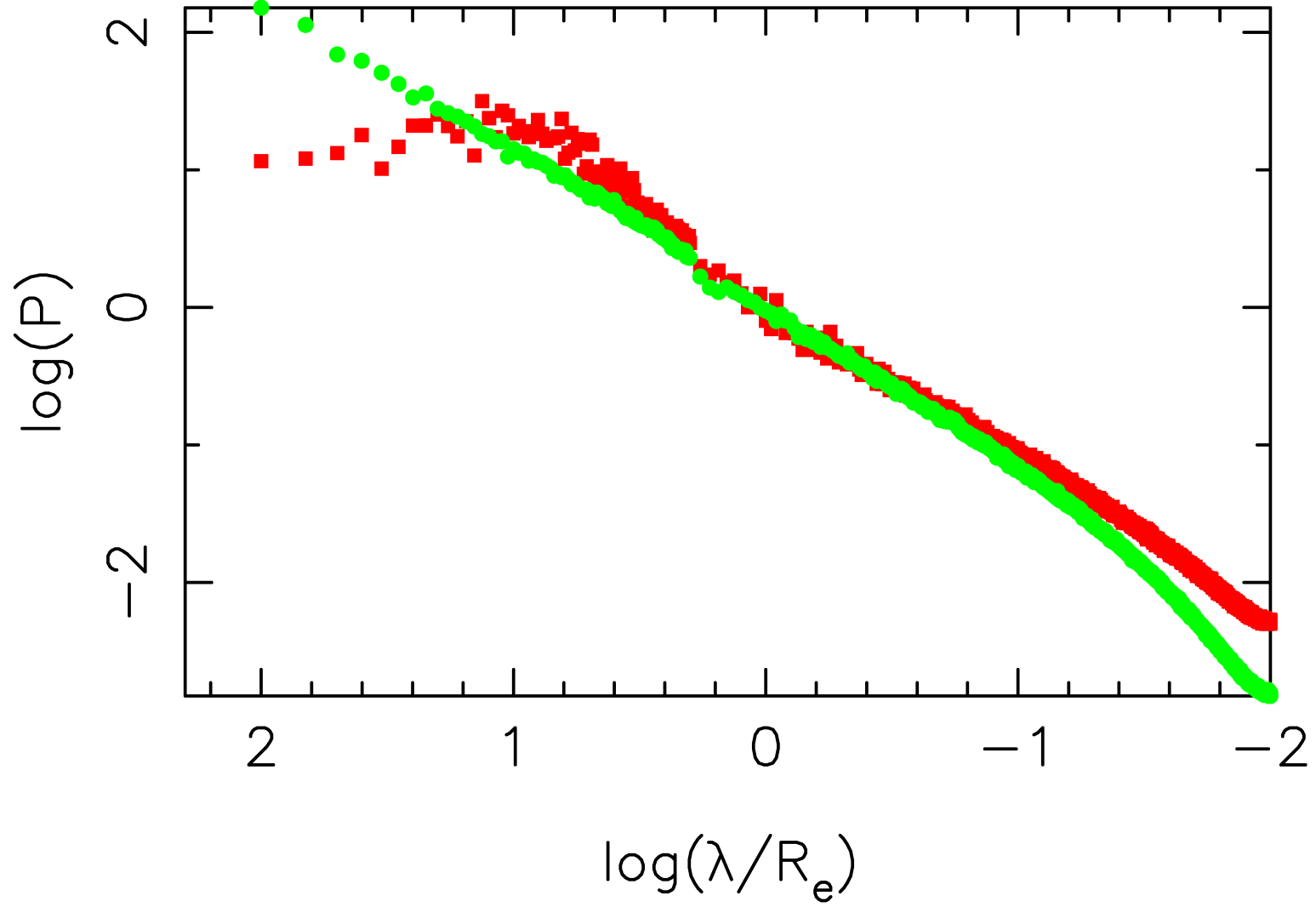
Spectrum

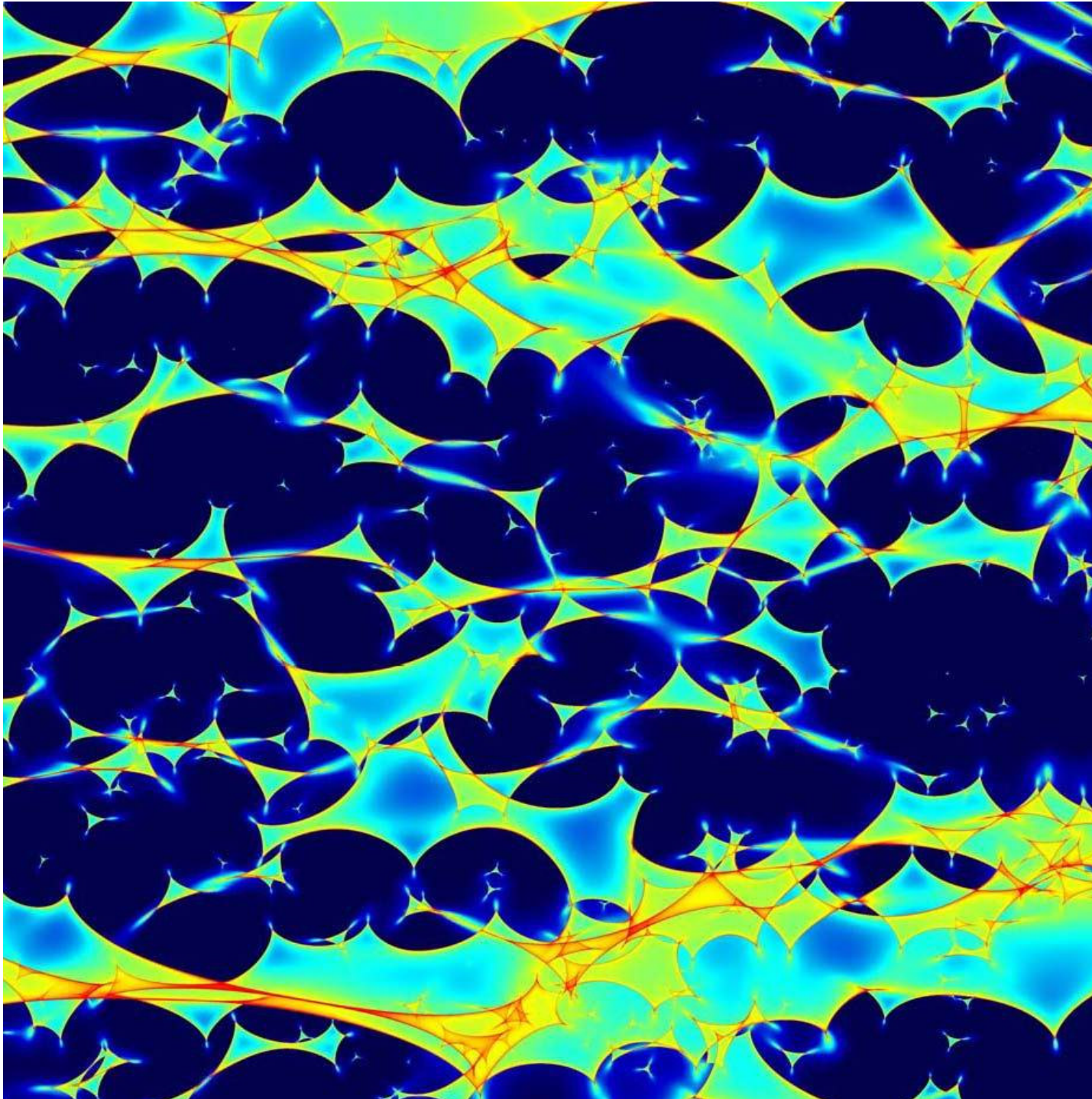
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Spectral projections $k = 0.4, \gamma = 0.4$



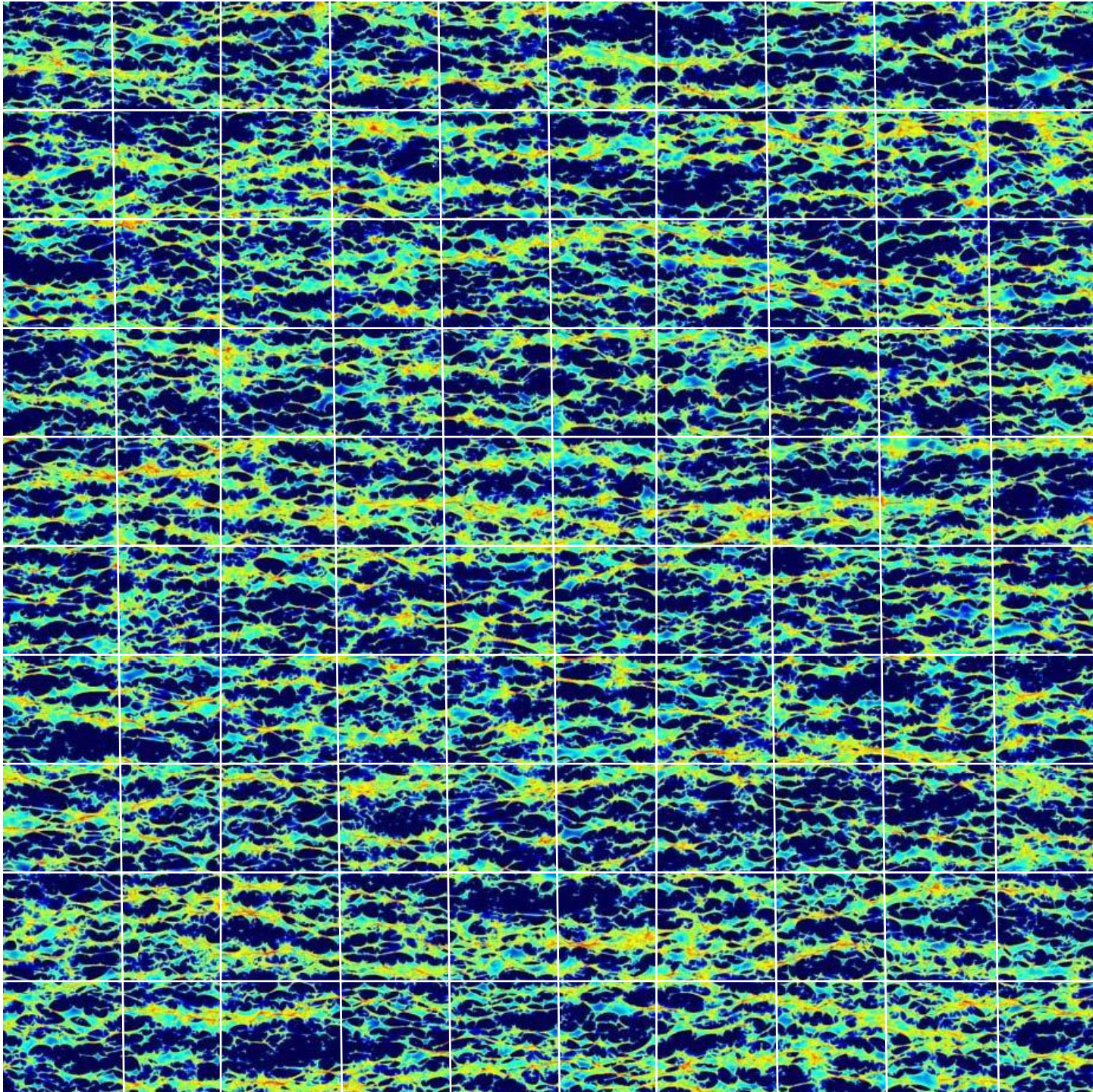


Magnification
pattern

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$$L = 20 R_e$$

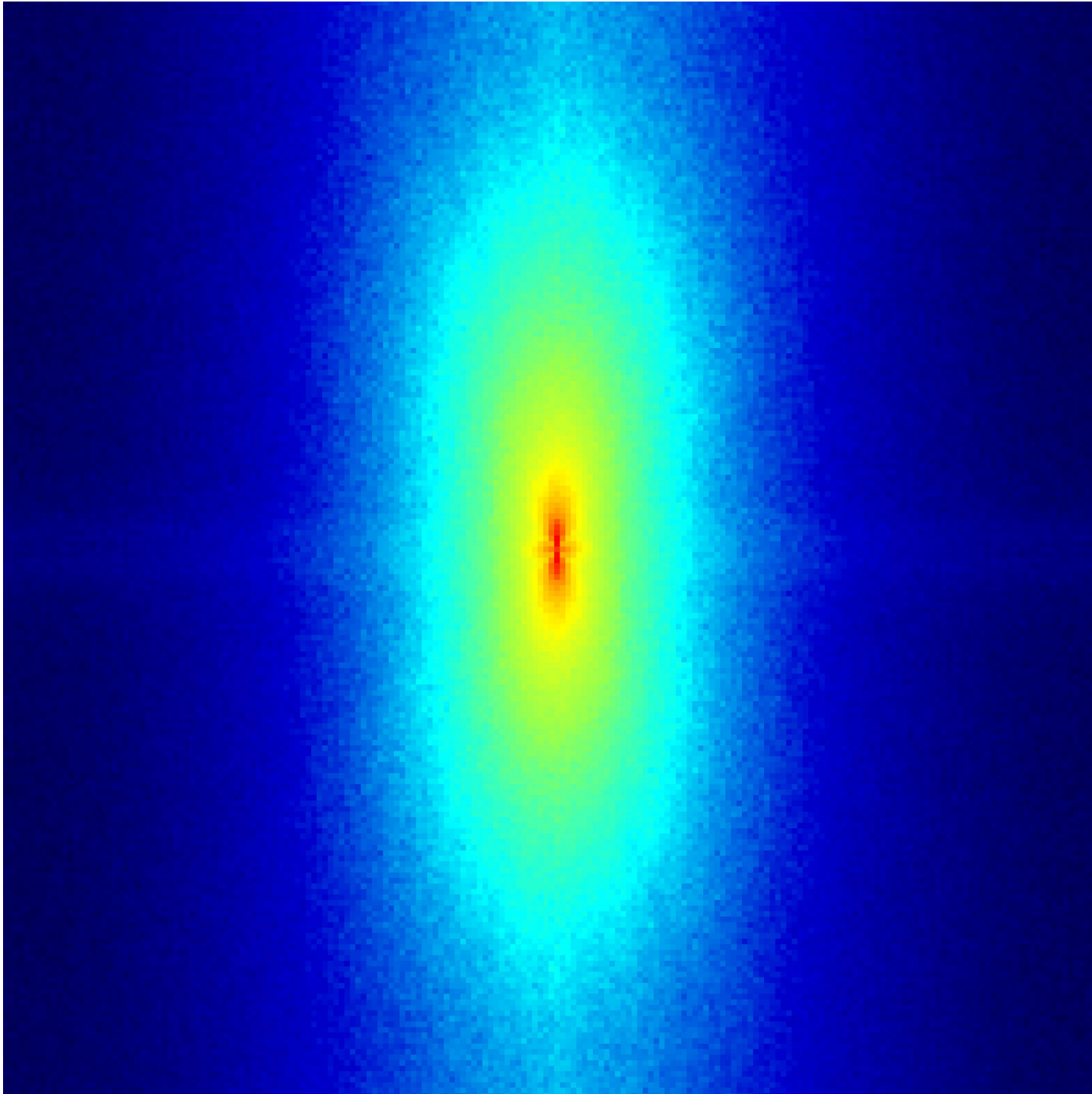


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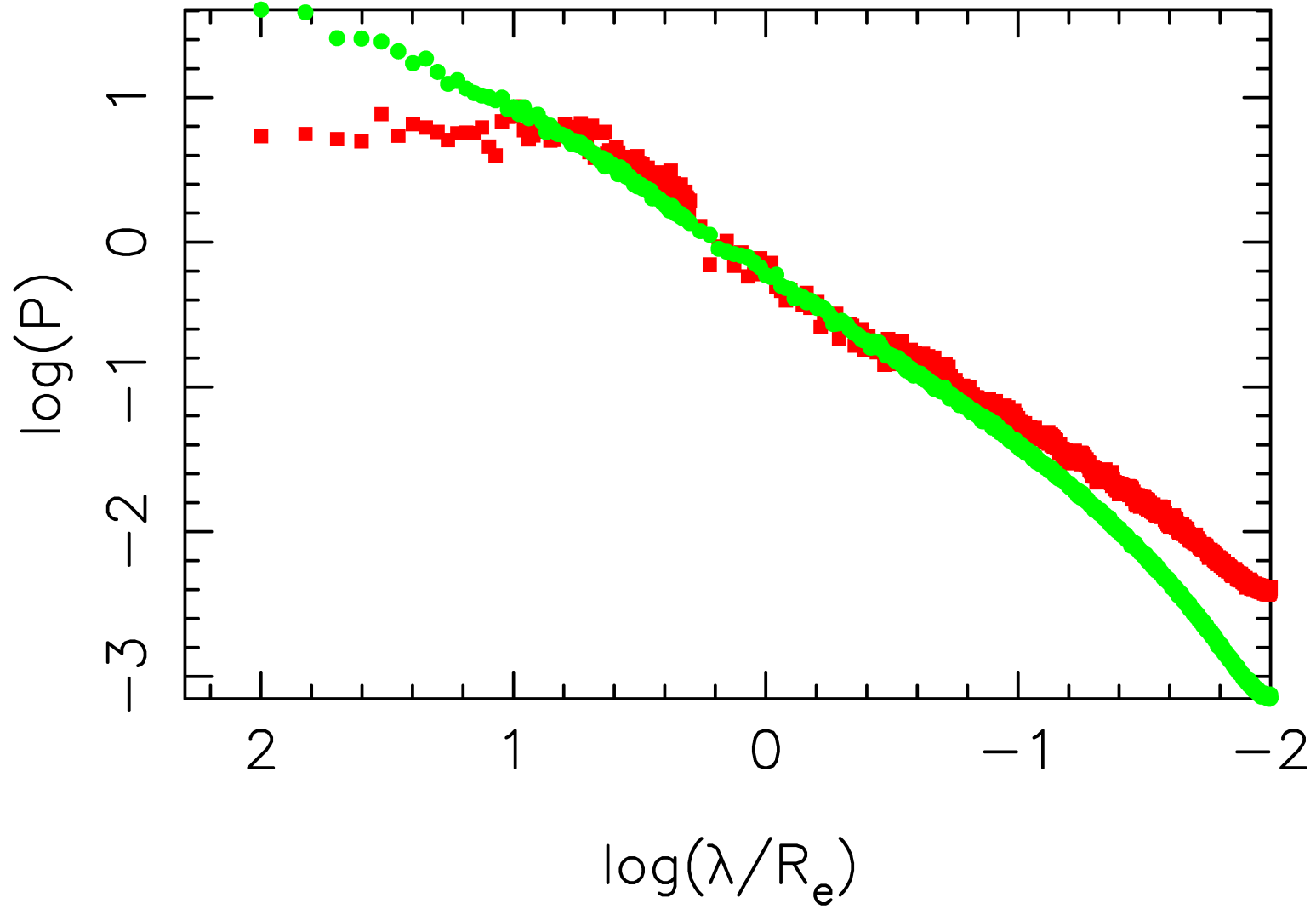
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Spectral projections $k = 0.7, \gamma = 0.7$



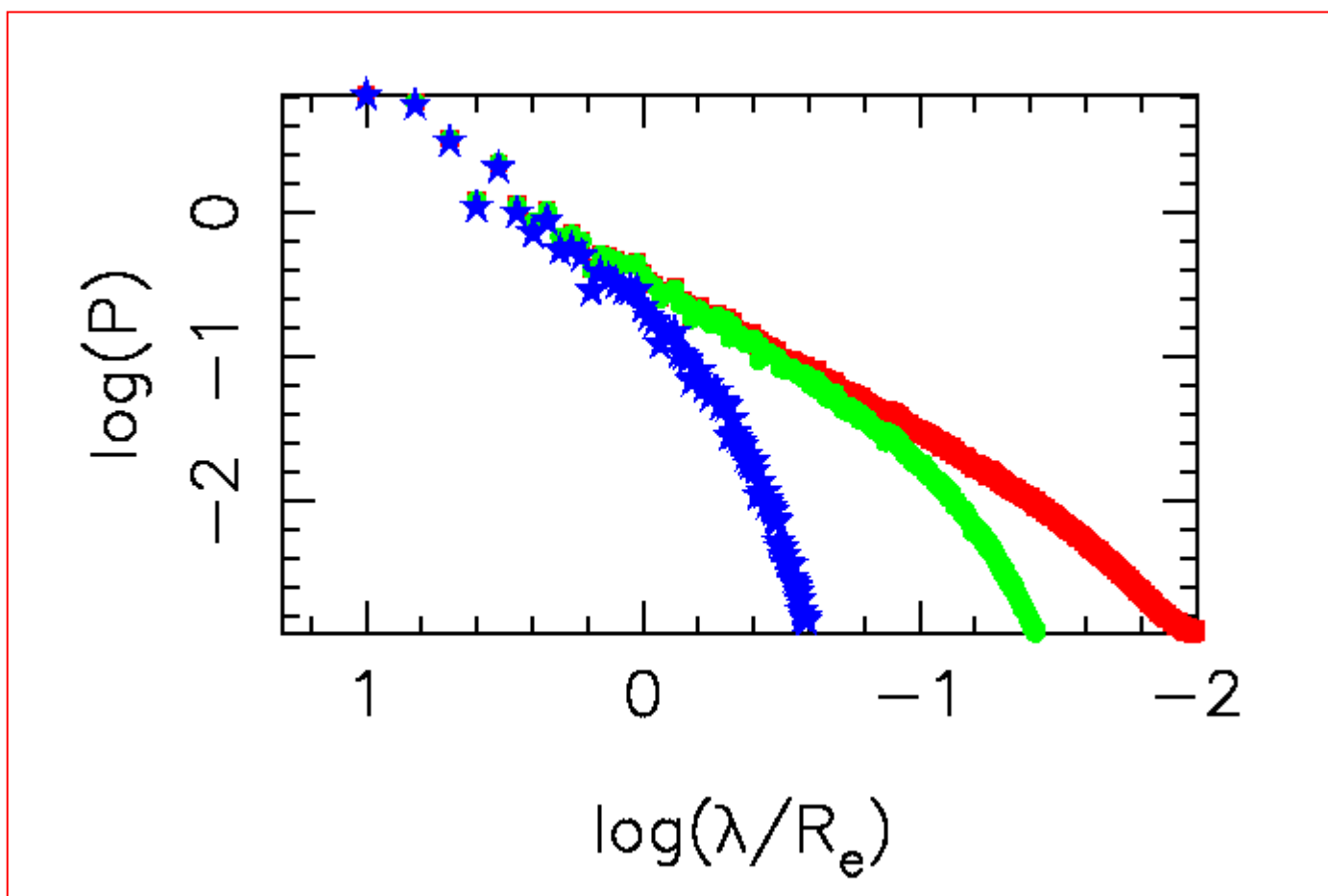
Extended source effect ($k=0.4$, $\gamma=0$, $L=20R_e$)

$$P_{ext}(\mathbf{k}) = P_{mag}(\mathbf{k})Q(k) \quad Q(k) : \left| \exp\left[-(R_S k)^2\right] \right|^2 \quad R_S - \text{a source size}$$

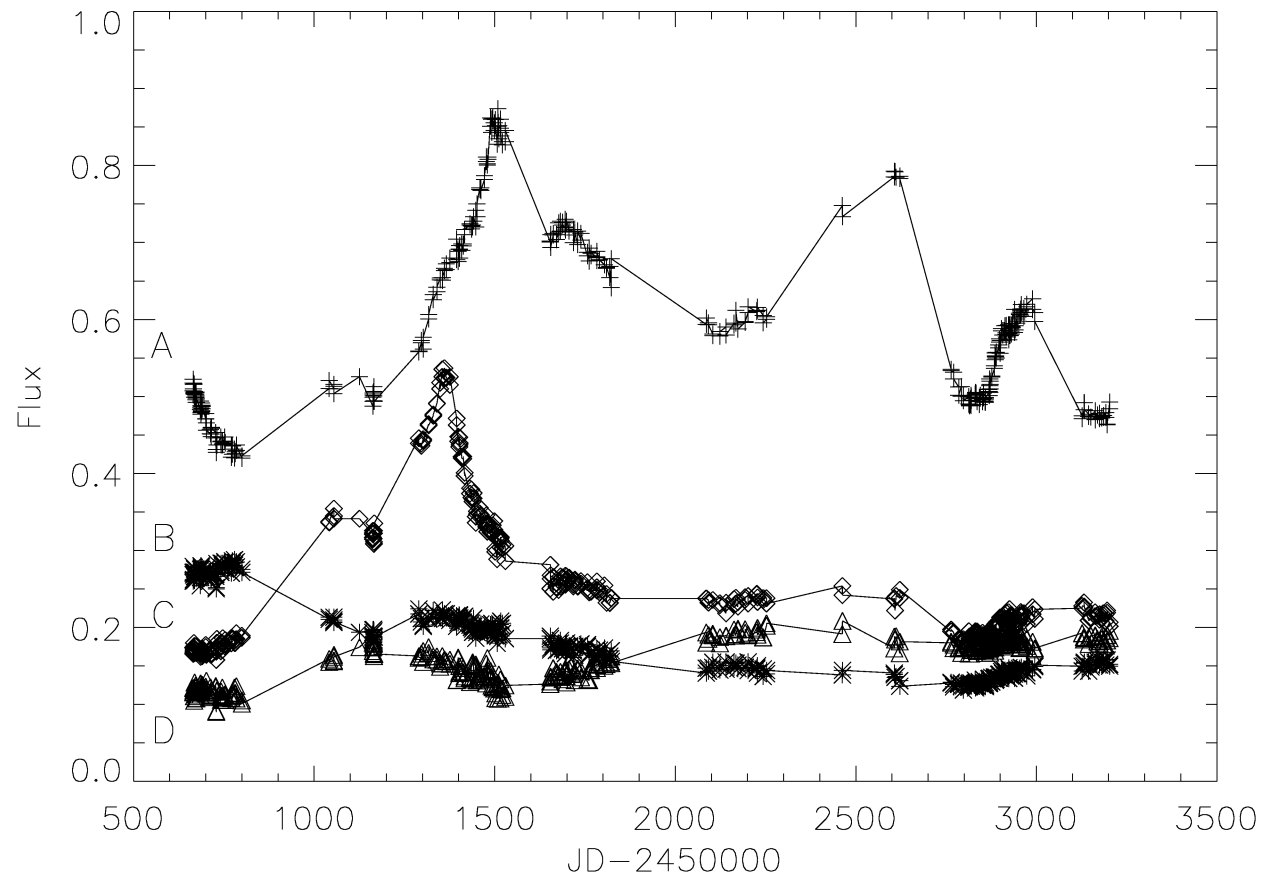
■ - a point source

■ $R_S = 0.01R_e$

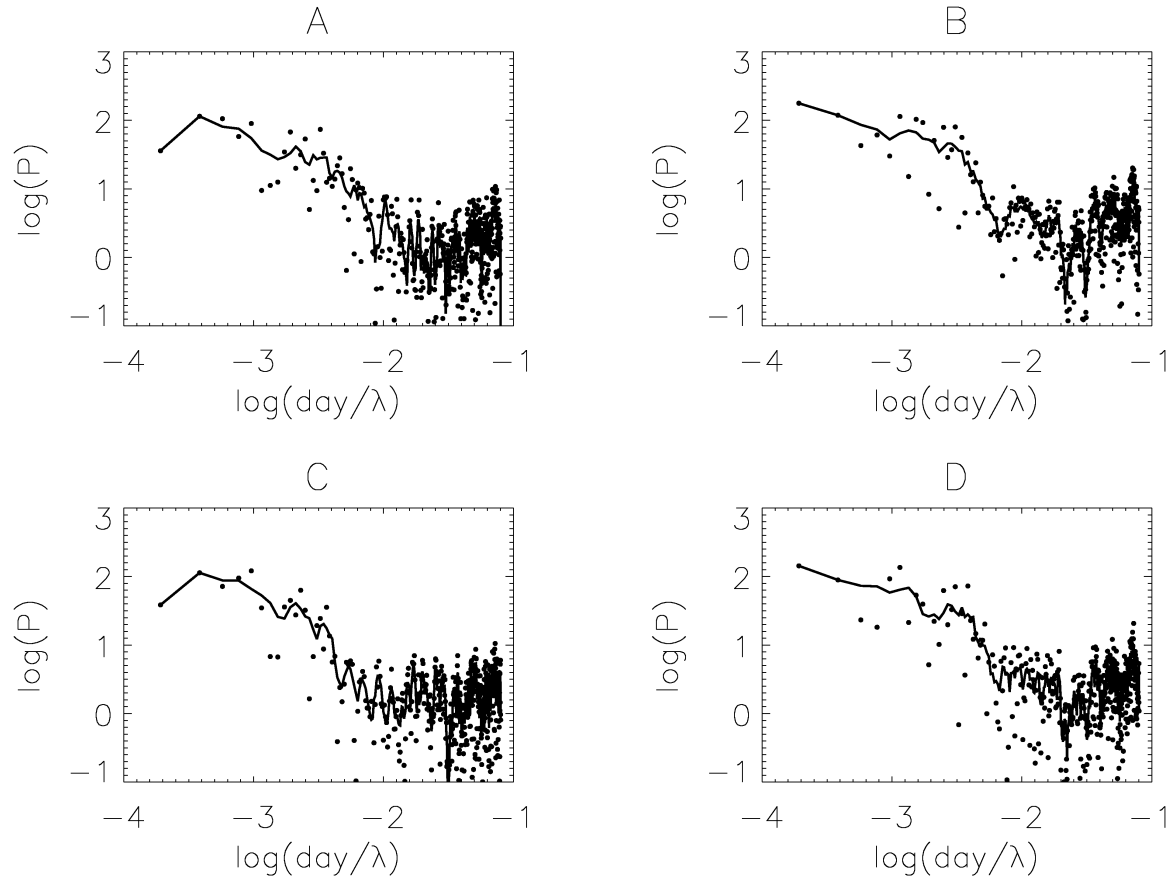
■ $R_S = 0.1R_e$



OGLE monitoring of Q22337+0305



Periodogram of Q2237+0305



Properties of the power spectrum

- a constant at $\lambda \geq 10 R_e$; $\log(\text{day}/\lambda) \leq -3.8$, $\lambda \geq 10^{3.8}$, $R_e \geq 10^{2.8} \approx 600$ days
- a linear decreasing $\sim R_e$;
- a drastic drop at $\lambda \approx 10R_s$; $\log(\text{day}/\lambda) \approx -2.5$, $\lambda \approx 10^{2.5}$, $R_s \approx 10^{1.5} \approx 30$ days