

CP–Violating Invariants in the SMEFT

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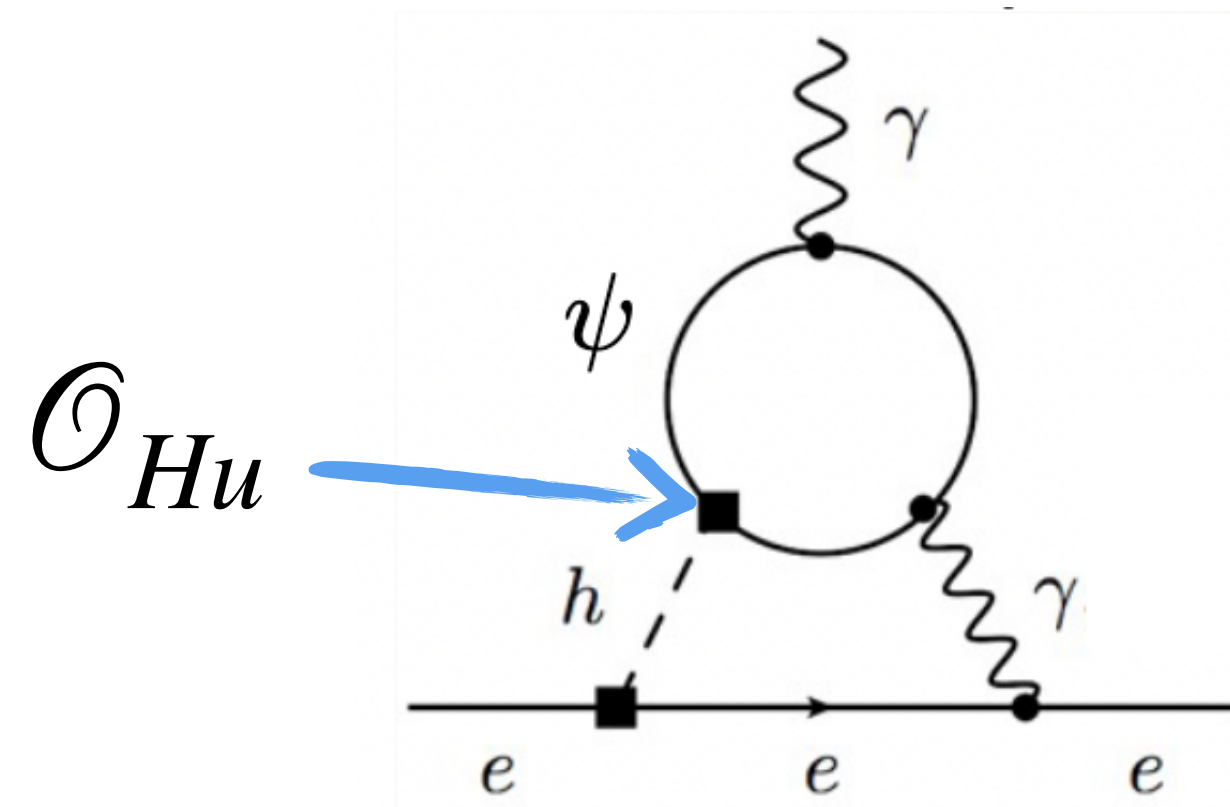
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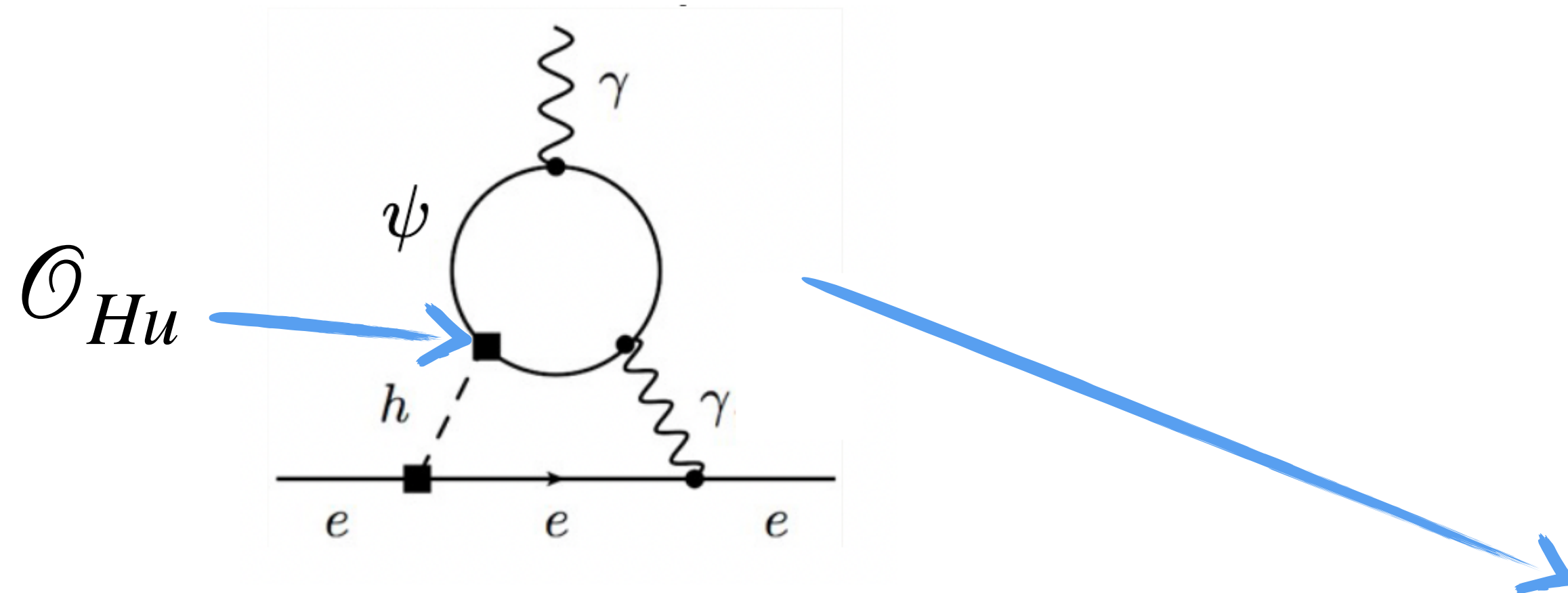
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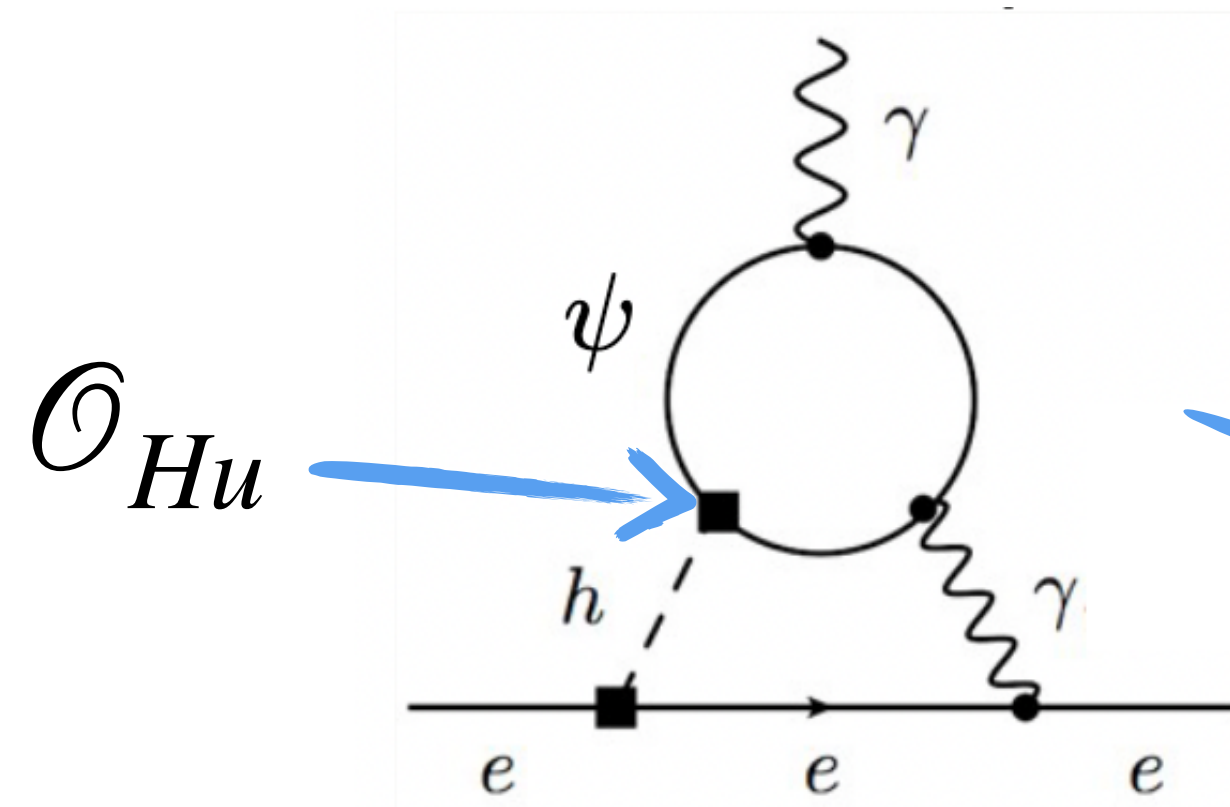
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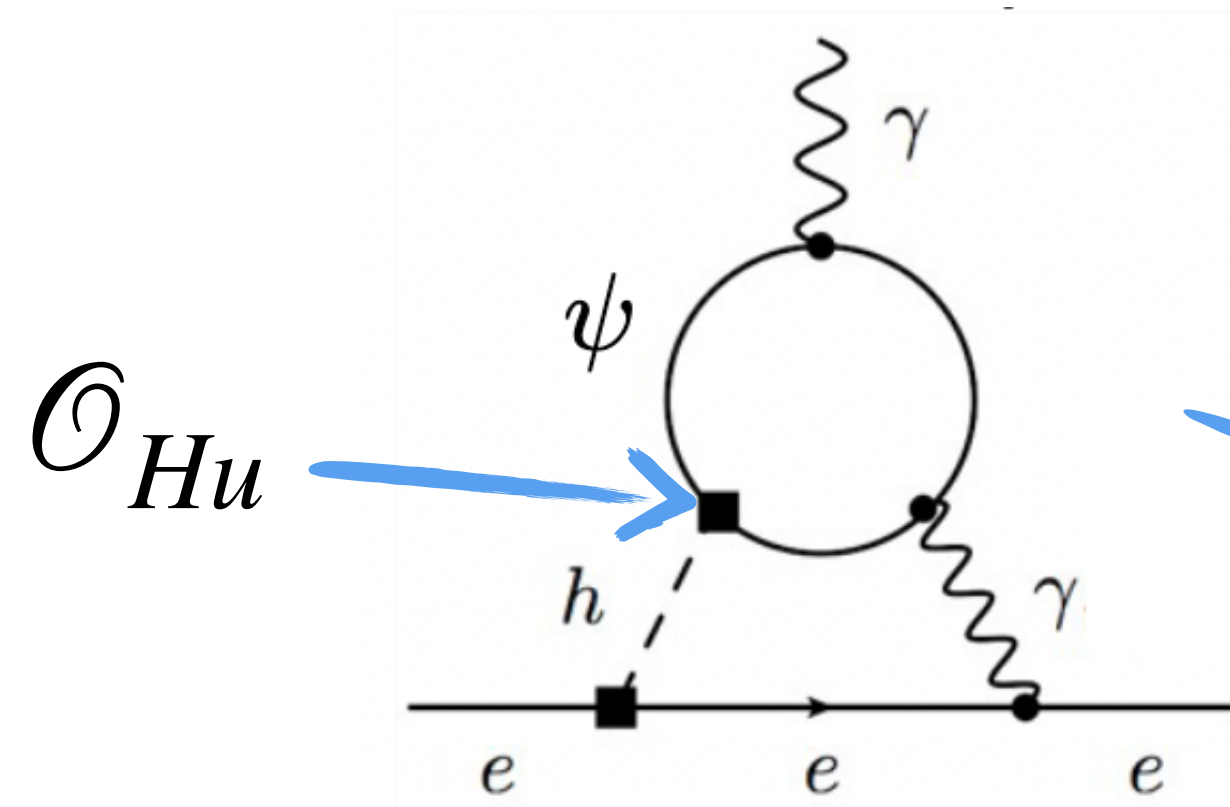
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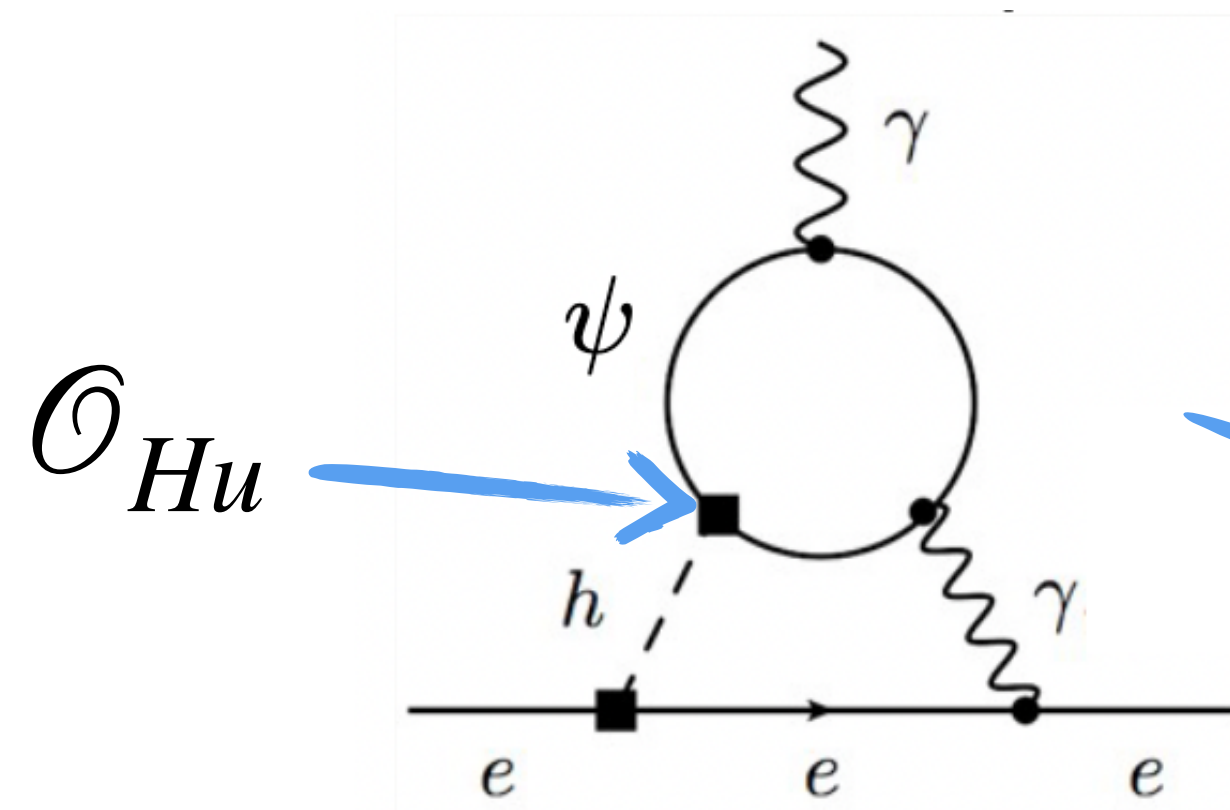
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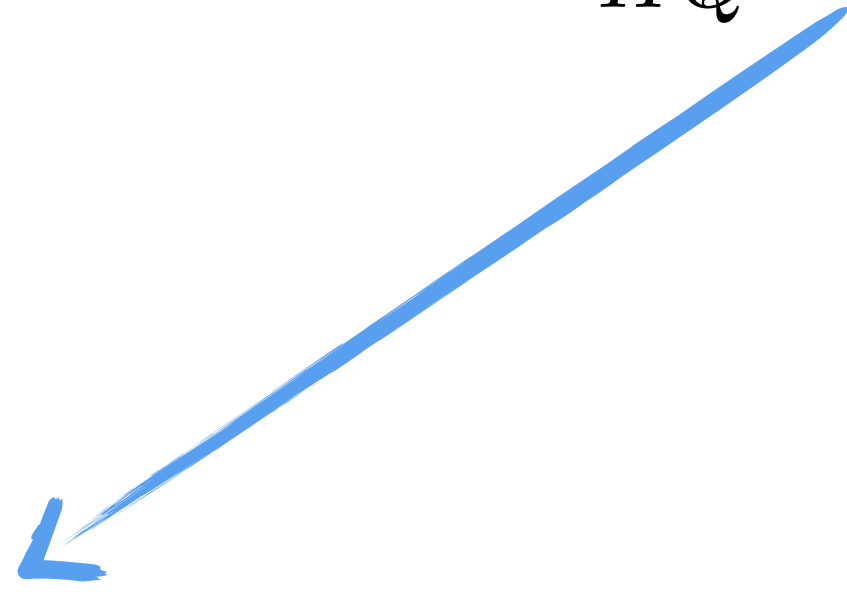
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CP-odd observables at $\mathcal{O}(1/\Lambda^2)$

Working at $\mathcal{O}(1/\Lambda^2)$ reduces the number of CP-violating parameters. Let us start from the up-basis

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In the lepton sector, this choice breaks the $U(3)_L \times U(3)_e$ of the free Lagrangian down to the $U(1)^3$ described by the transformation

$$(L, e) \rightarrow \text{diag}(e^{i\delta_1}, e^{i\delta_2}, e^{i\delta_3})(L, e)$$

This has to be a symmetry of all observables.

At dimension 6, operators containing leptons are charged under this symmetry, e.g.

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Off-diagonal coefficients are charged under such $U(1)^3$, so at $\mathcal{O}(1/\Lambda^2)$ no invariant containing them can be built

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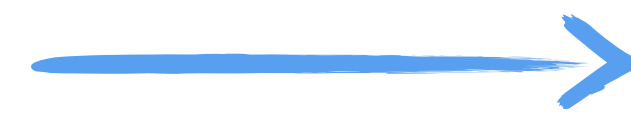
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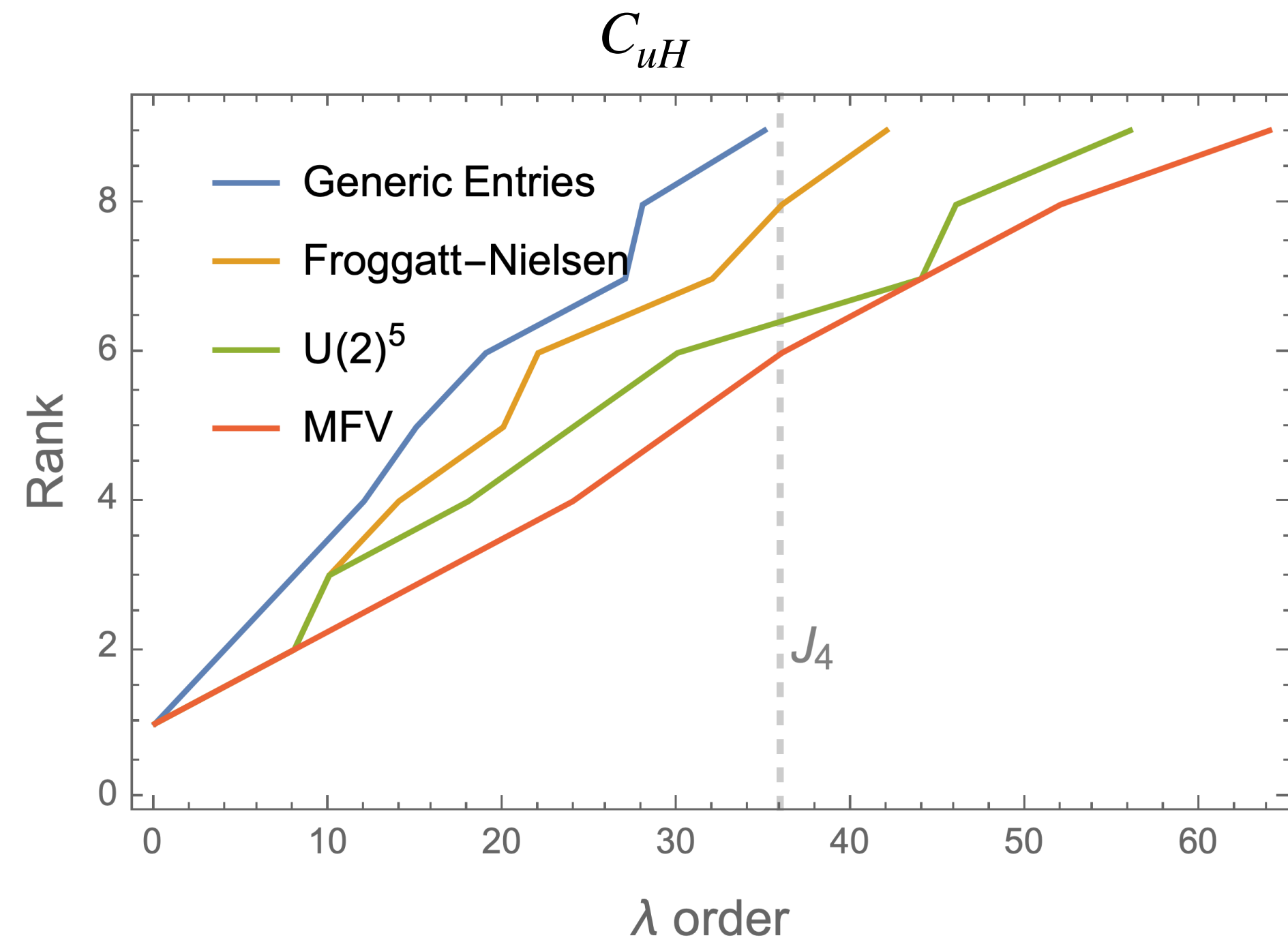
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