

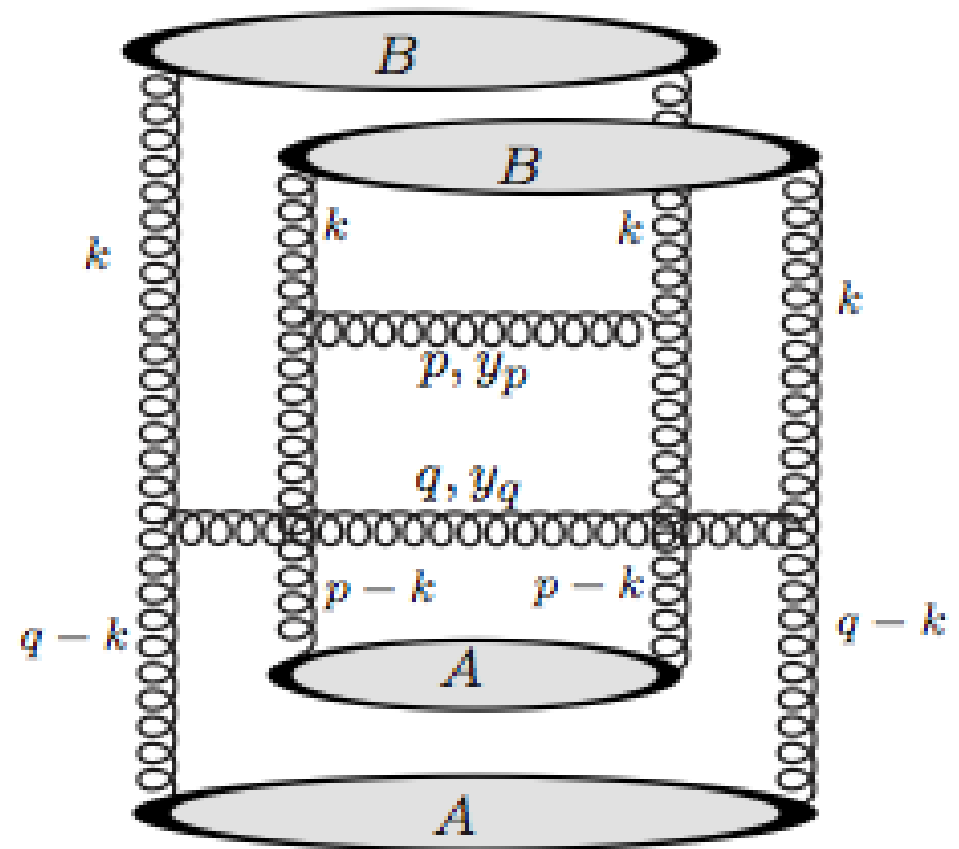
# Questions and ideas from MC side on saturation and ridge

- how to understand the ridge ?
- where are multiparton interactions coming from ?
- where is high parton density coming from ?
- where is saturation happening ?
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# Does interference generate correlations ?

- Is angular correlation related to interference of different ladders ?
- Are these then really the relevant diagrams ?
  - How can one include this into a Monte Carlo simulation ?

A. Dumitru et al. The ridge in proton-proton collisions at the LHC  
arXiv 1009.5295

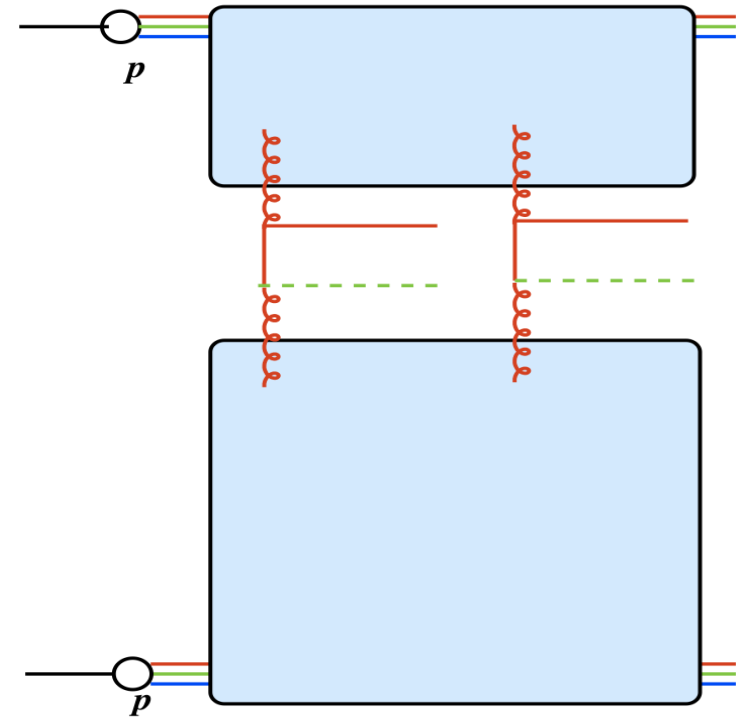
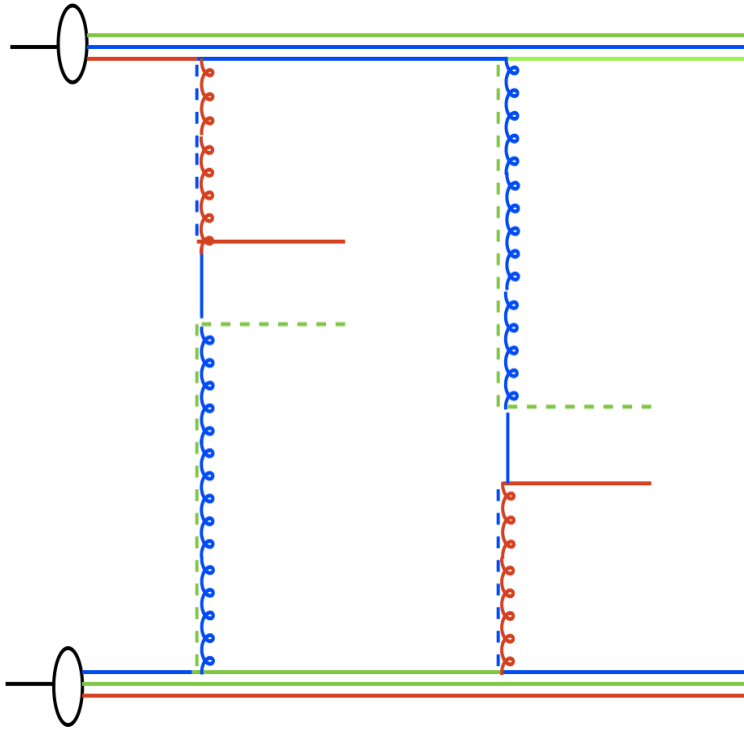


But 2 partons are not enough  
to generate high multiplicity events

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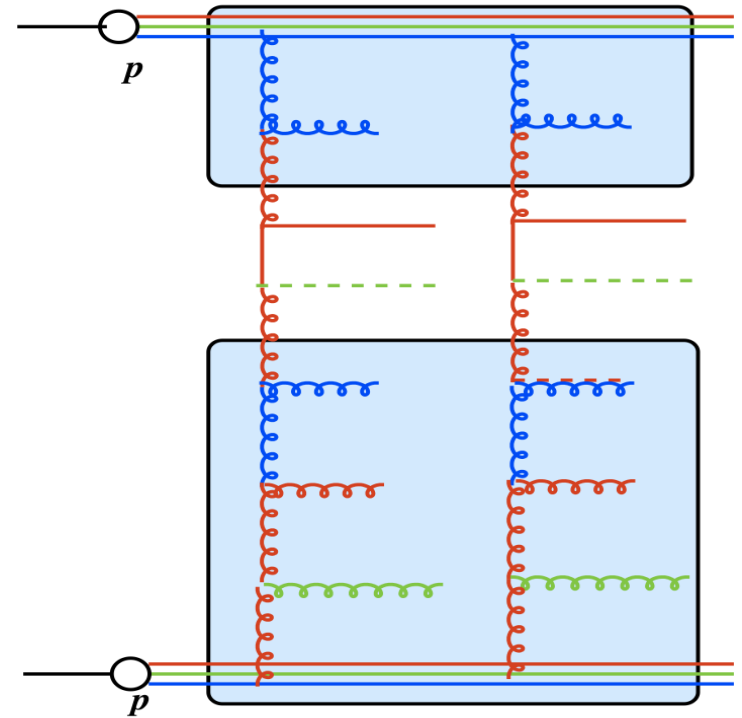
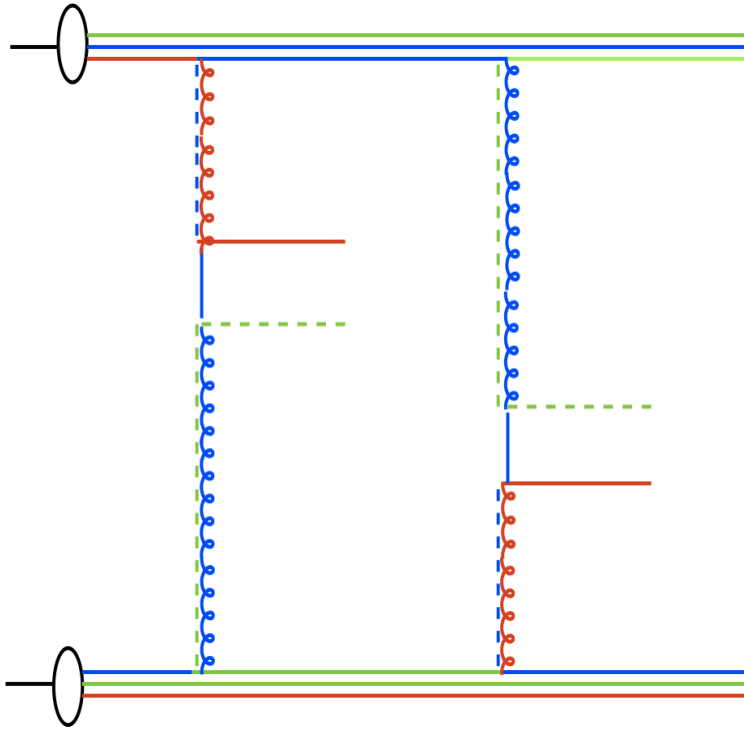


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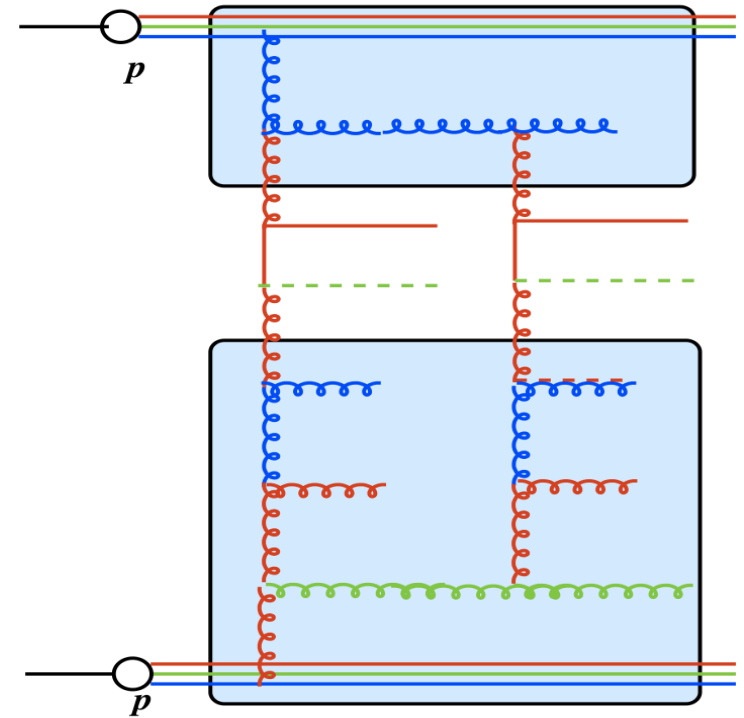
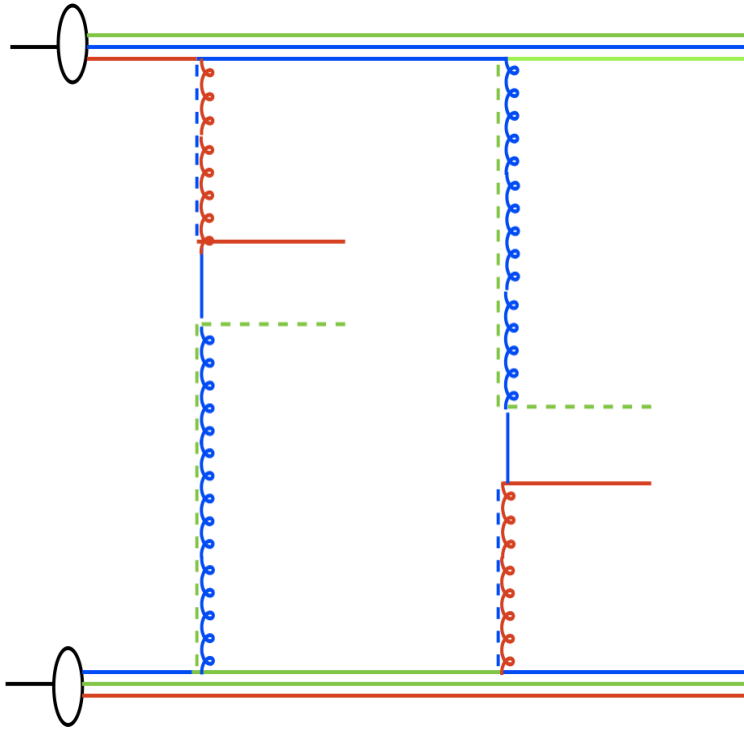


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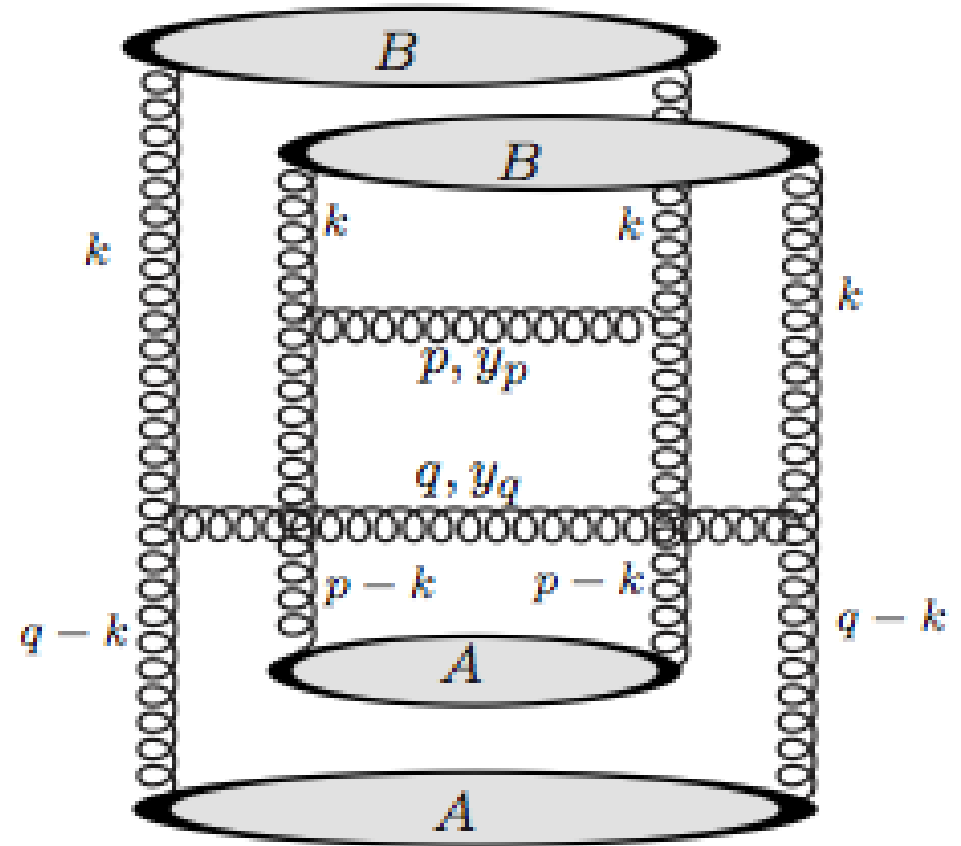
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- how to use pdfs with large  $x$  for multiparton interactions, which should happen only at small  $x$  ?
- can there be high density already in initial condition ?
- if high density comes via evolution, then multiparton pdfs must take this into account

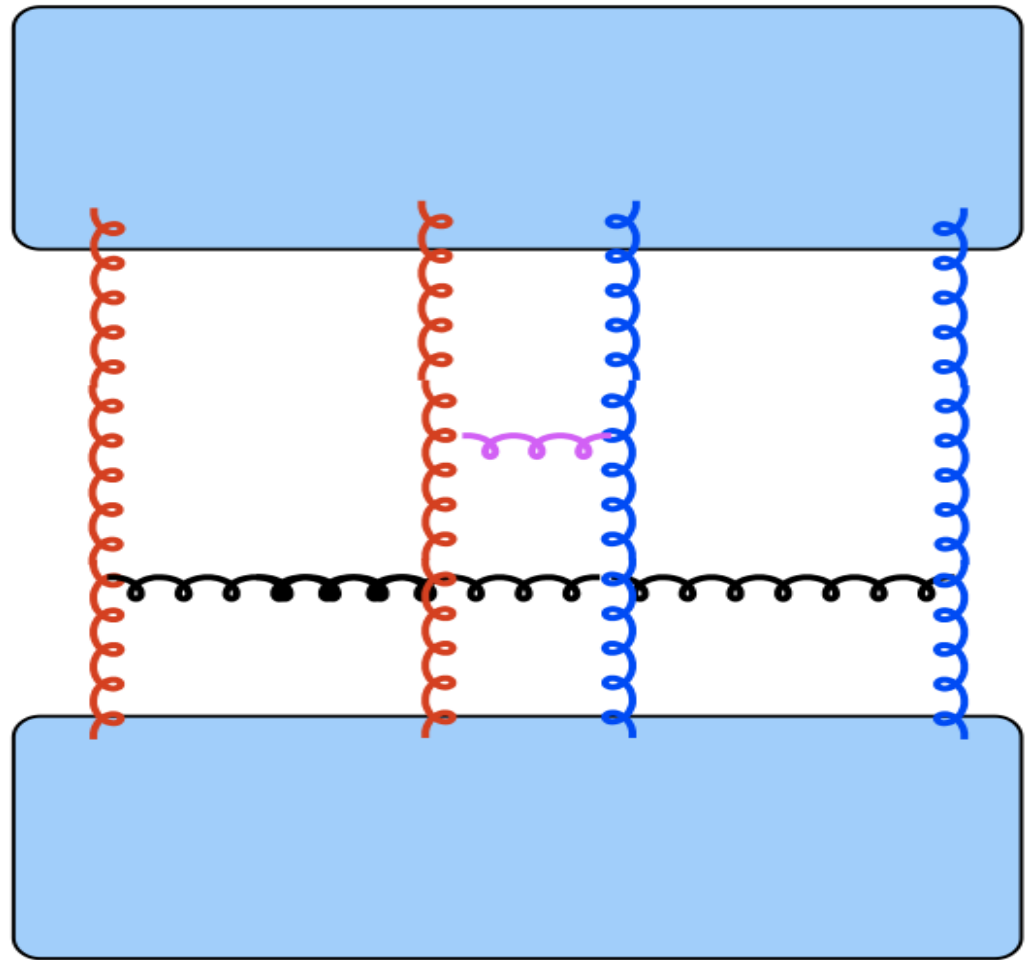
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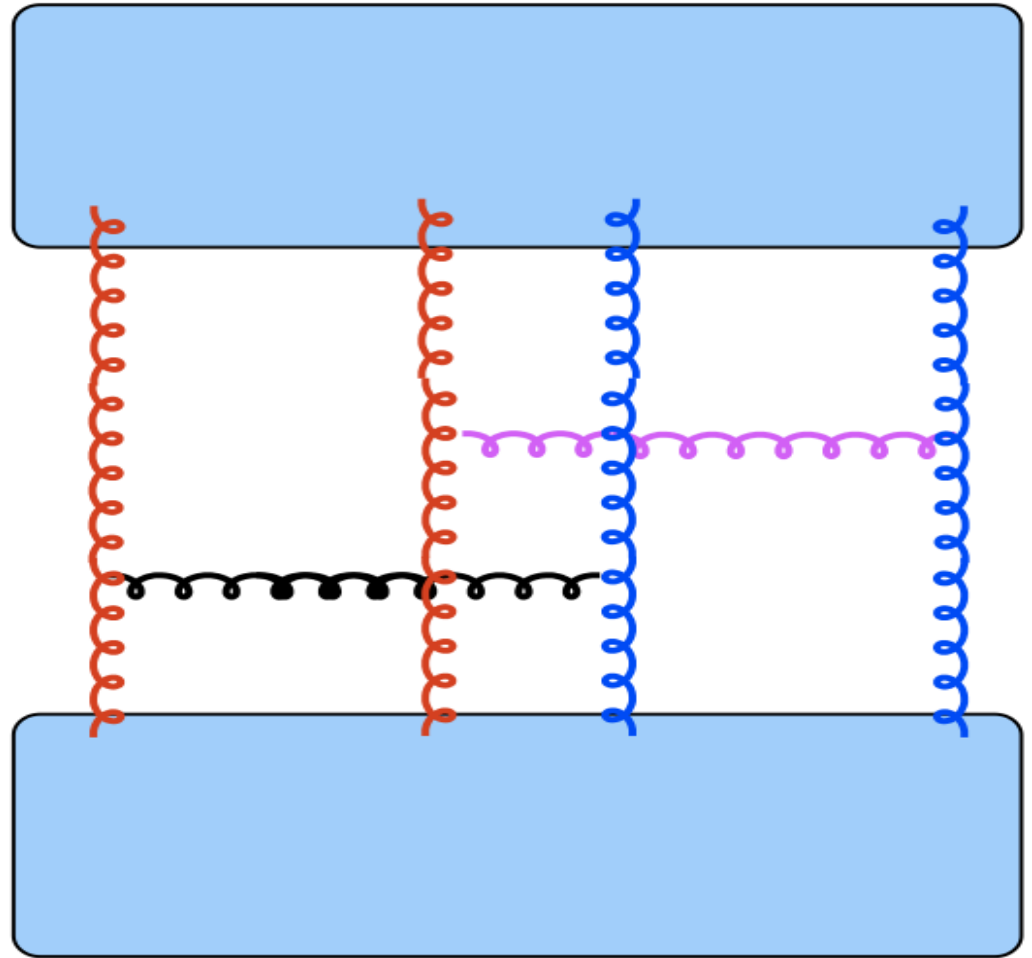
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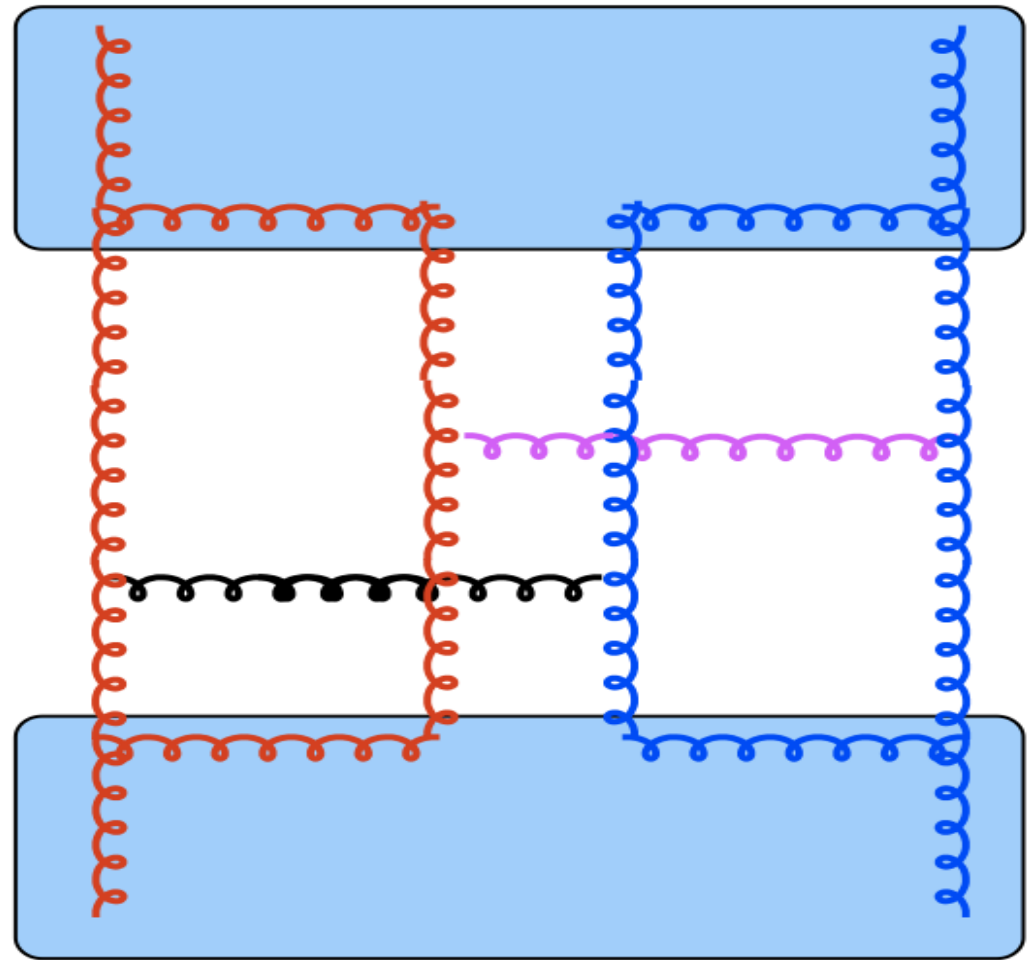
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Could this be a reasonable approach ?