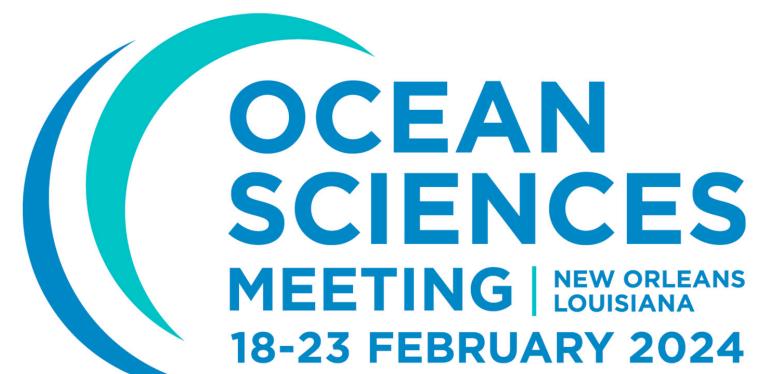


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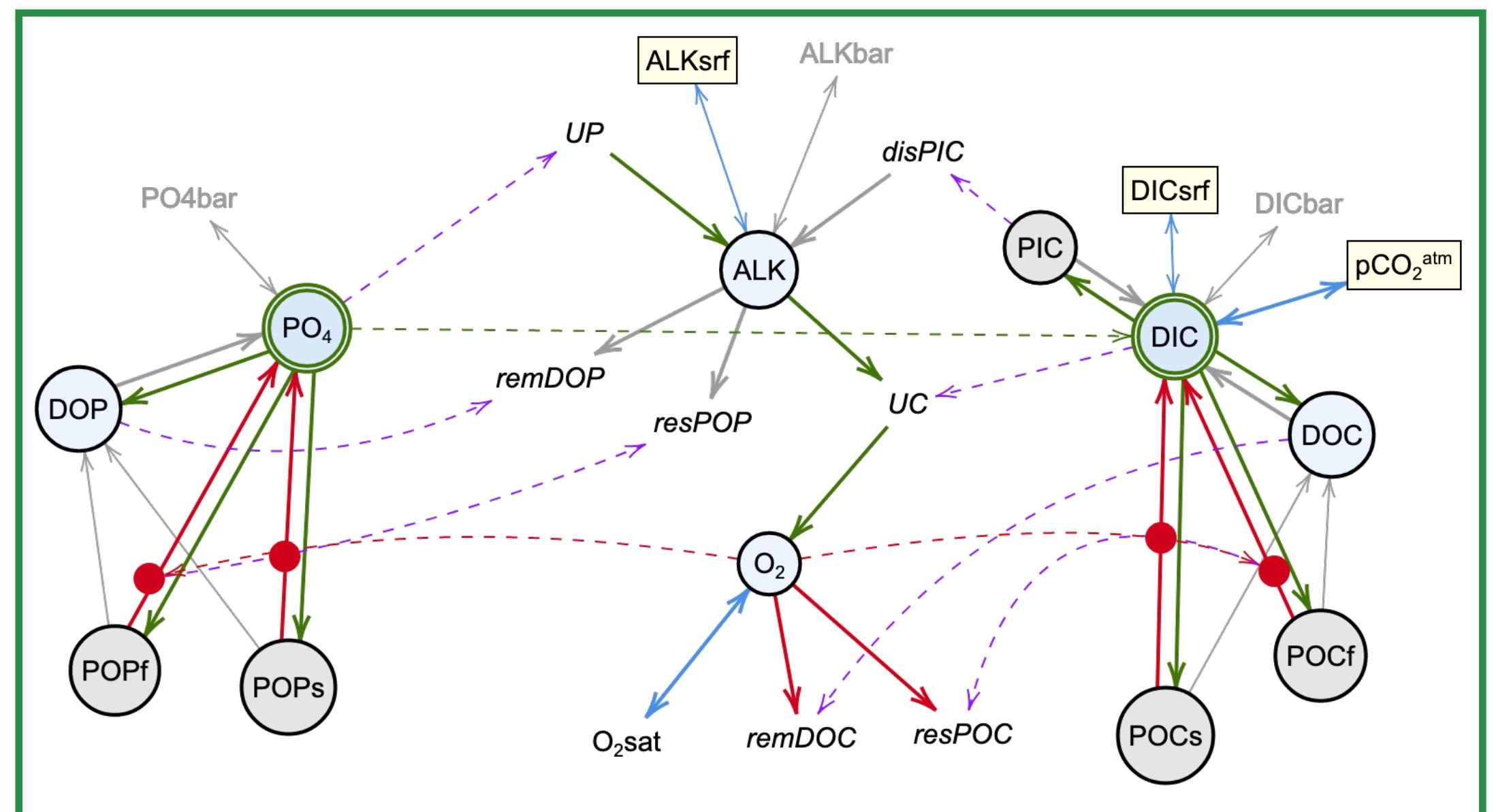
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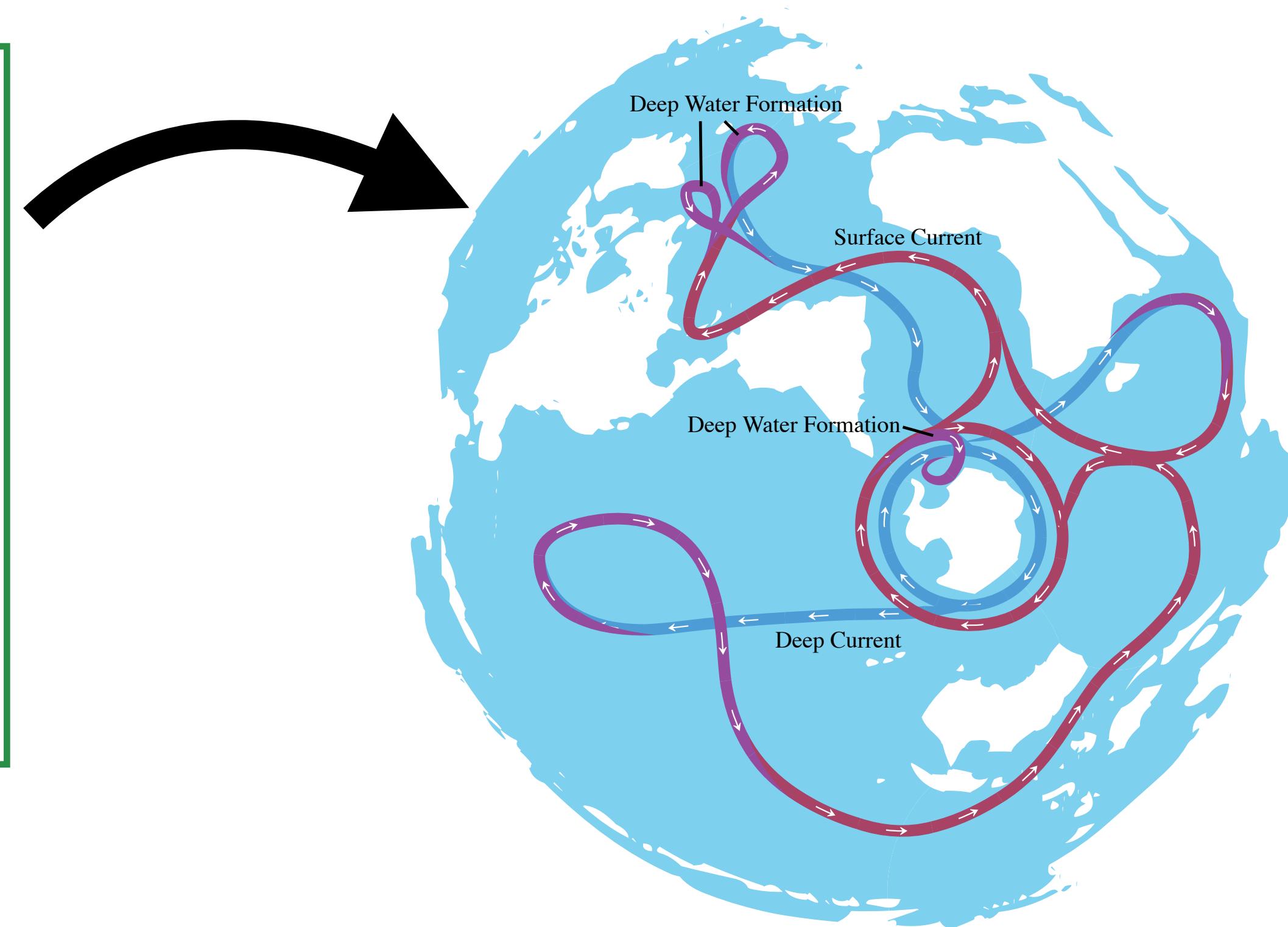


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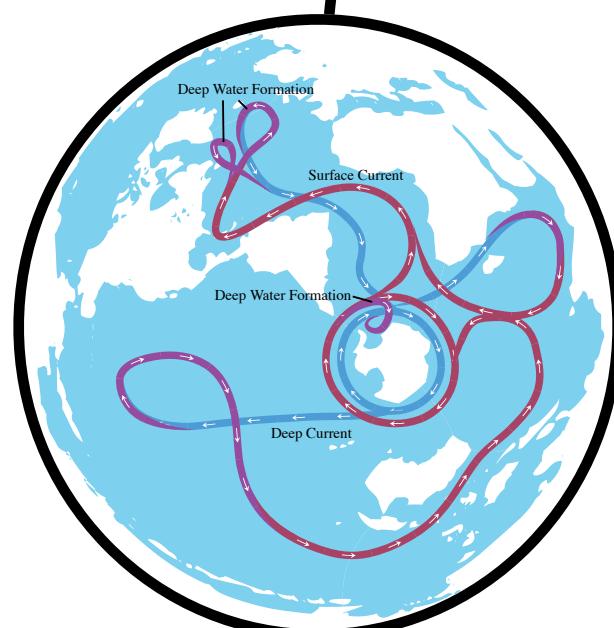
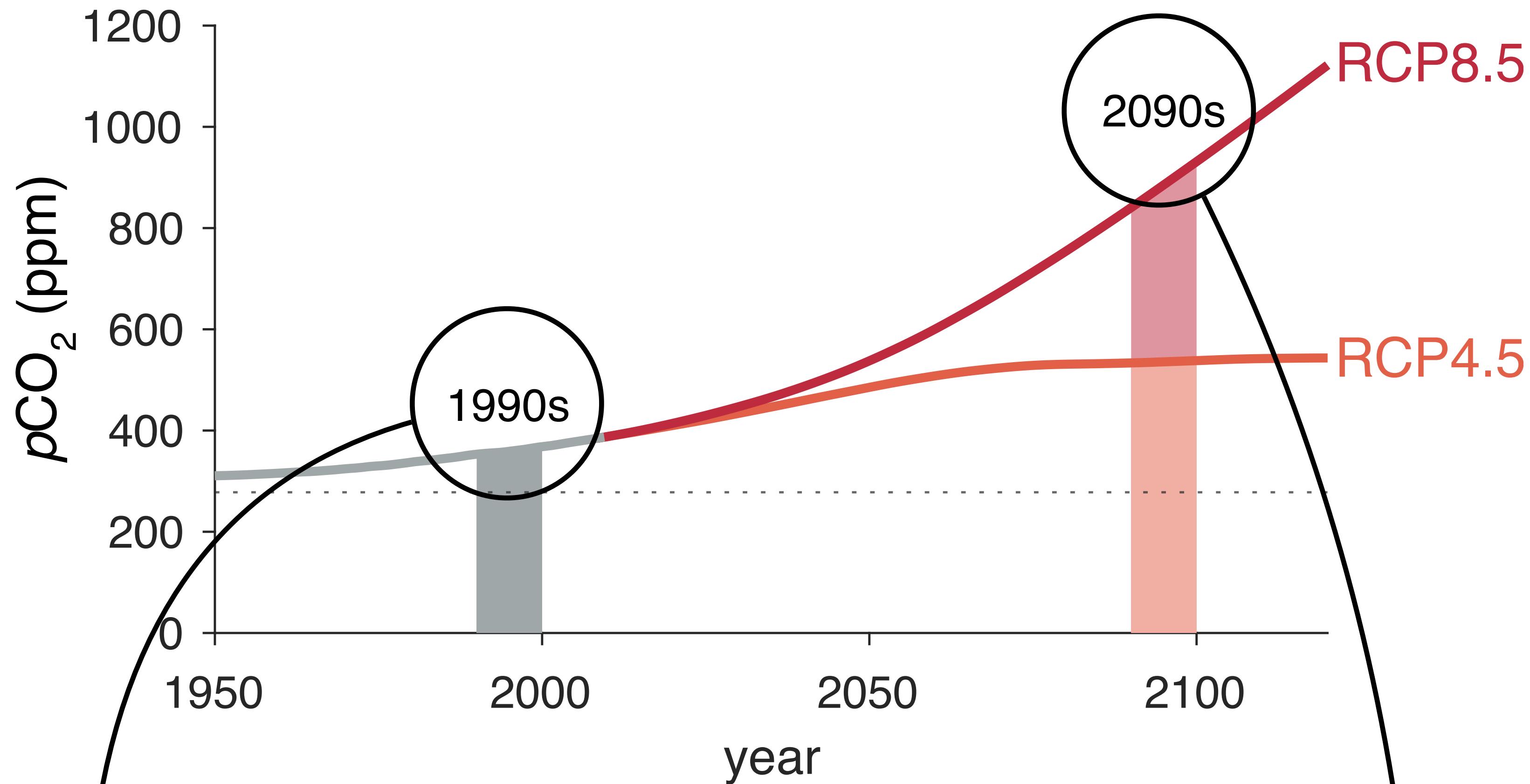
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P, C, O<sub>2</sub> cycles

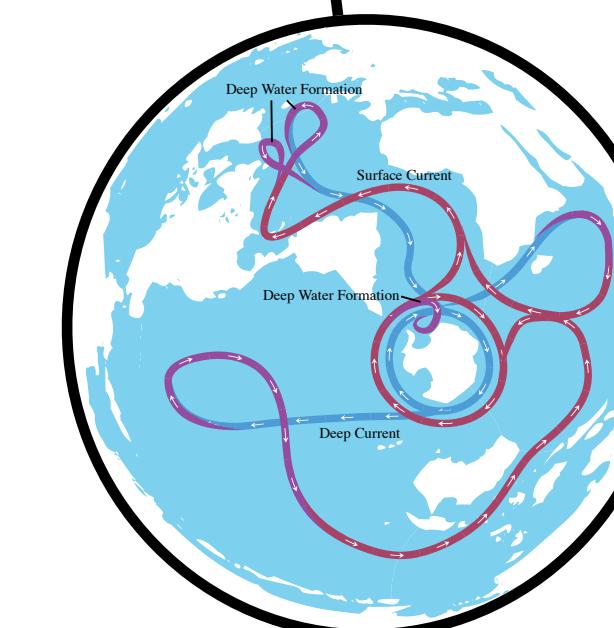


No time stepping! No spinup!



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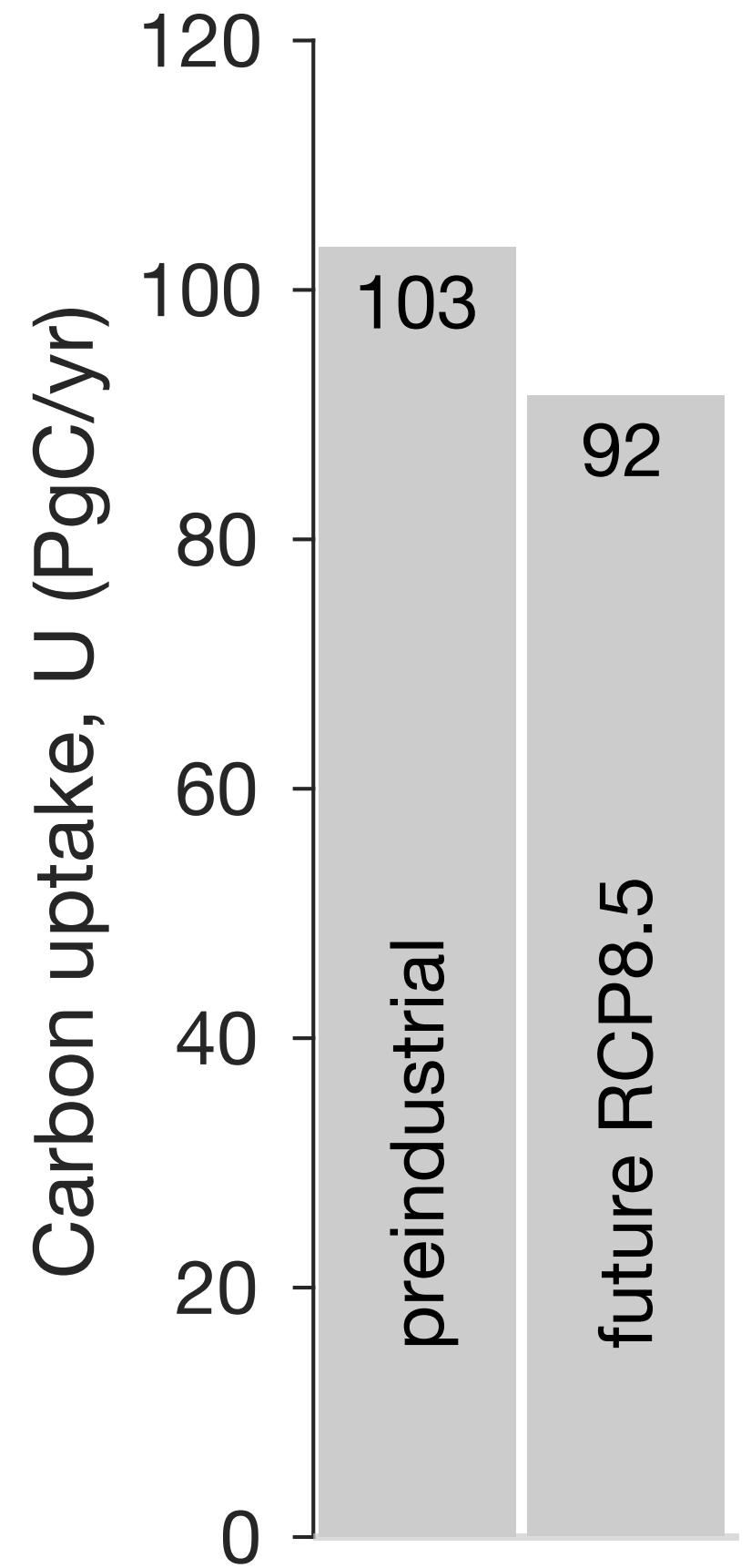
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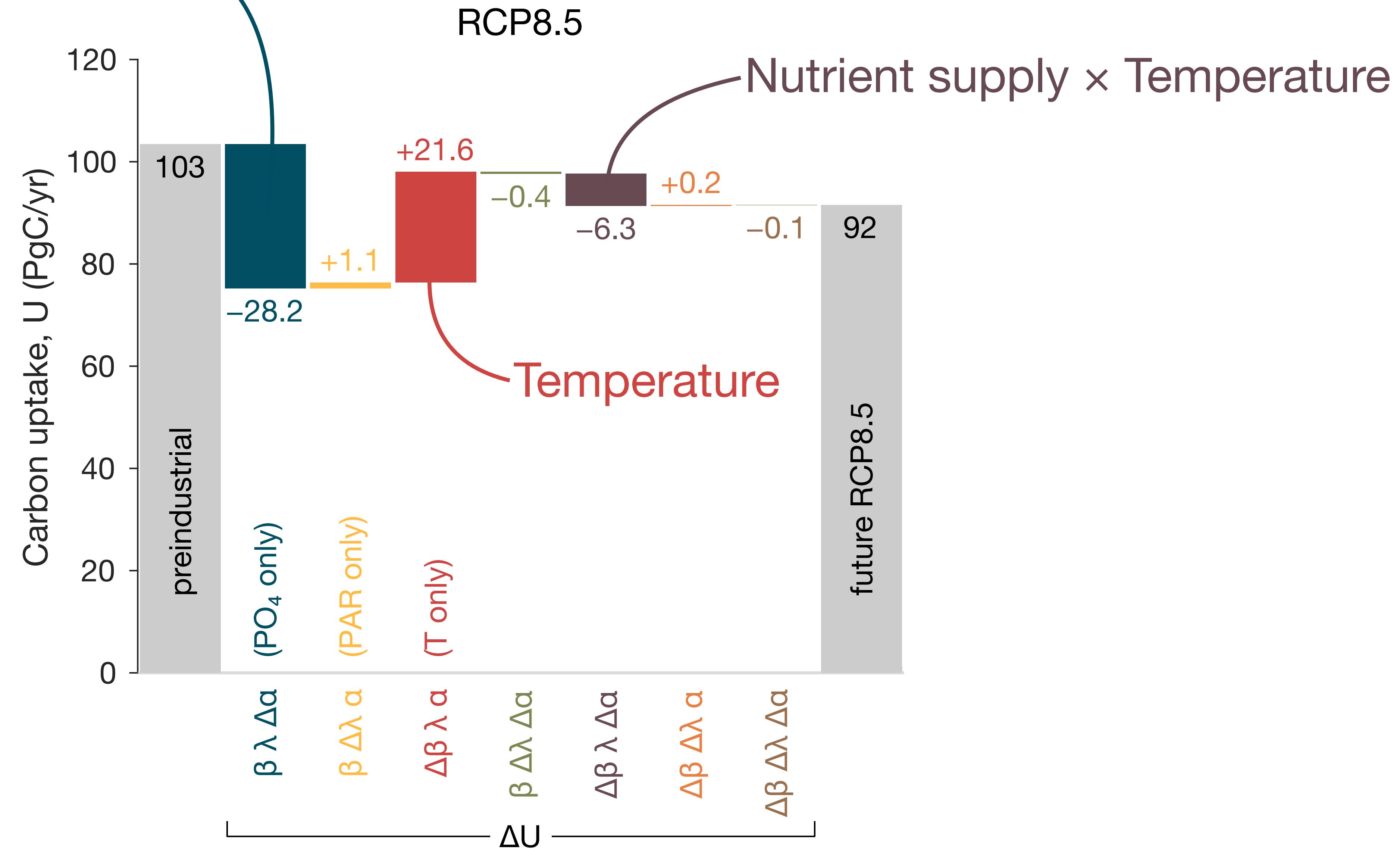
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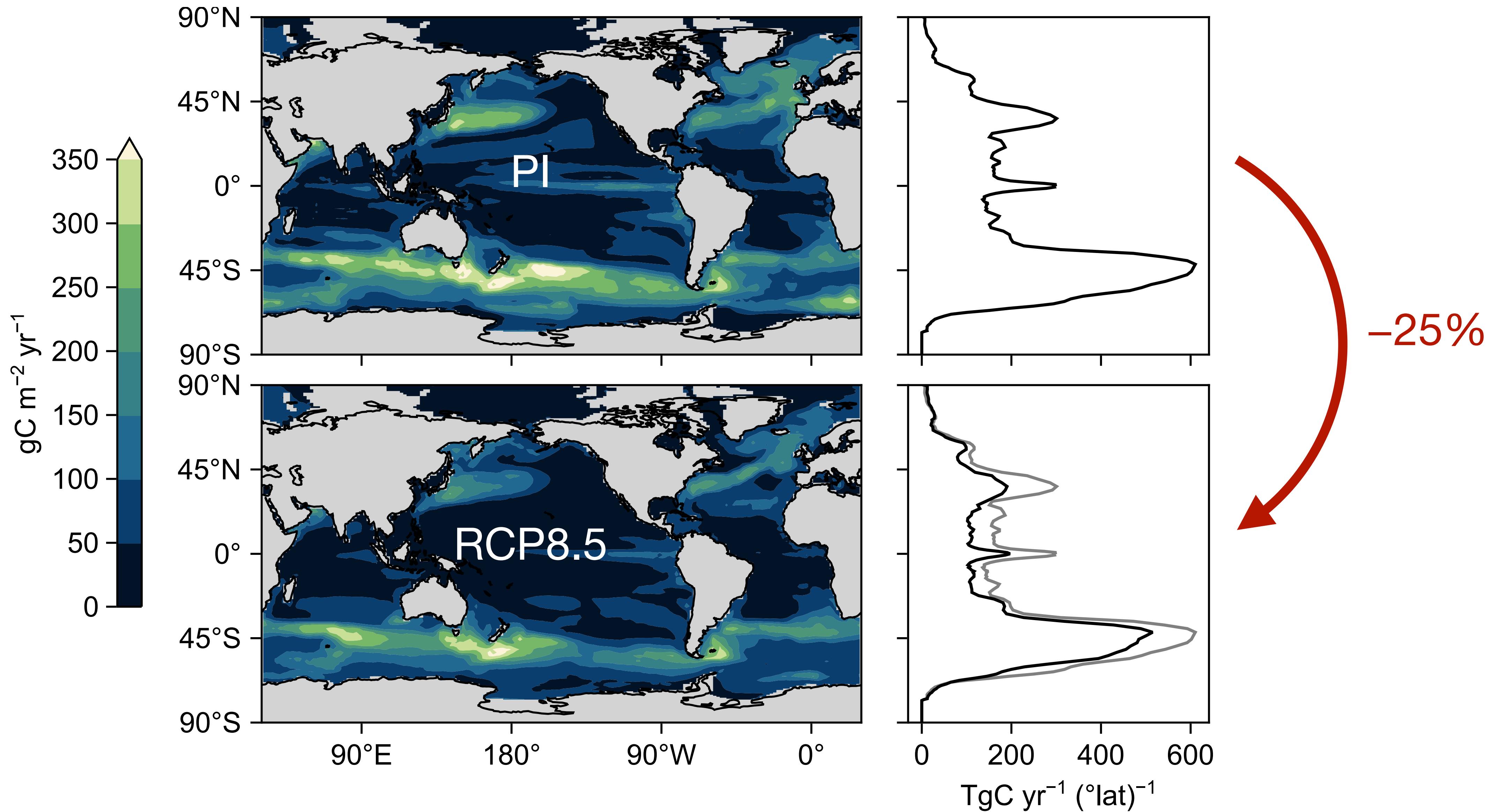


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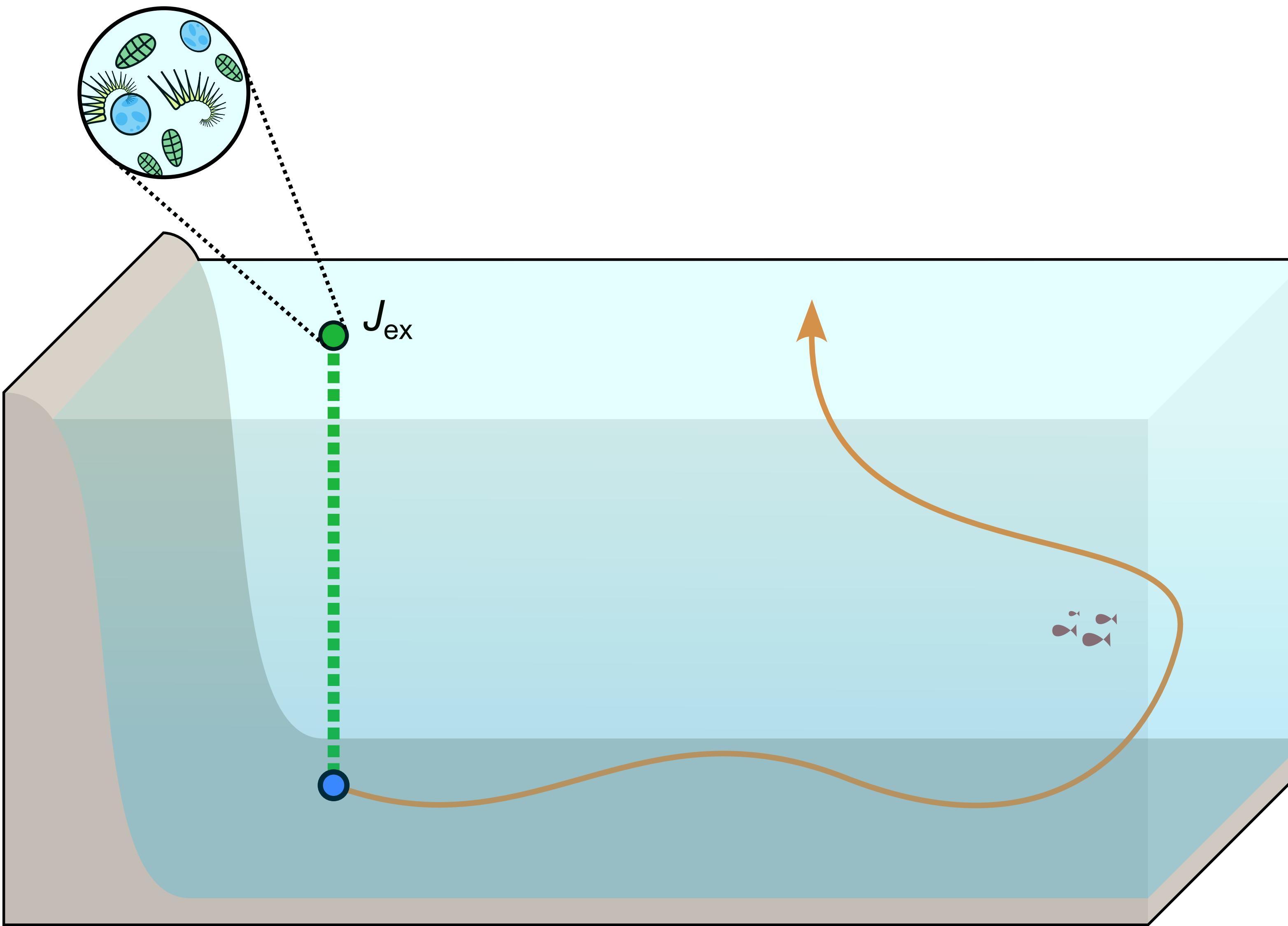
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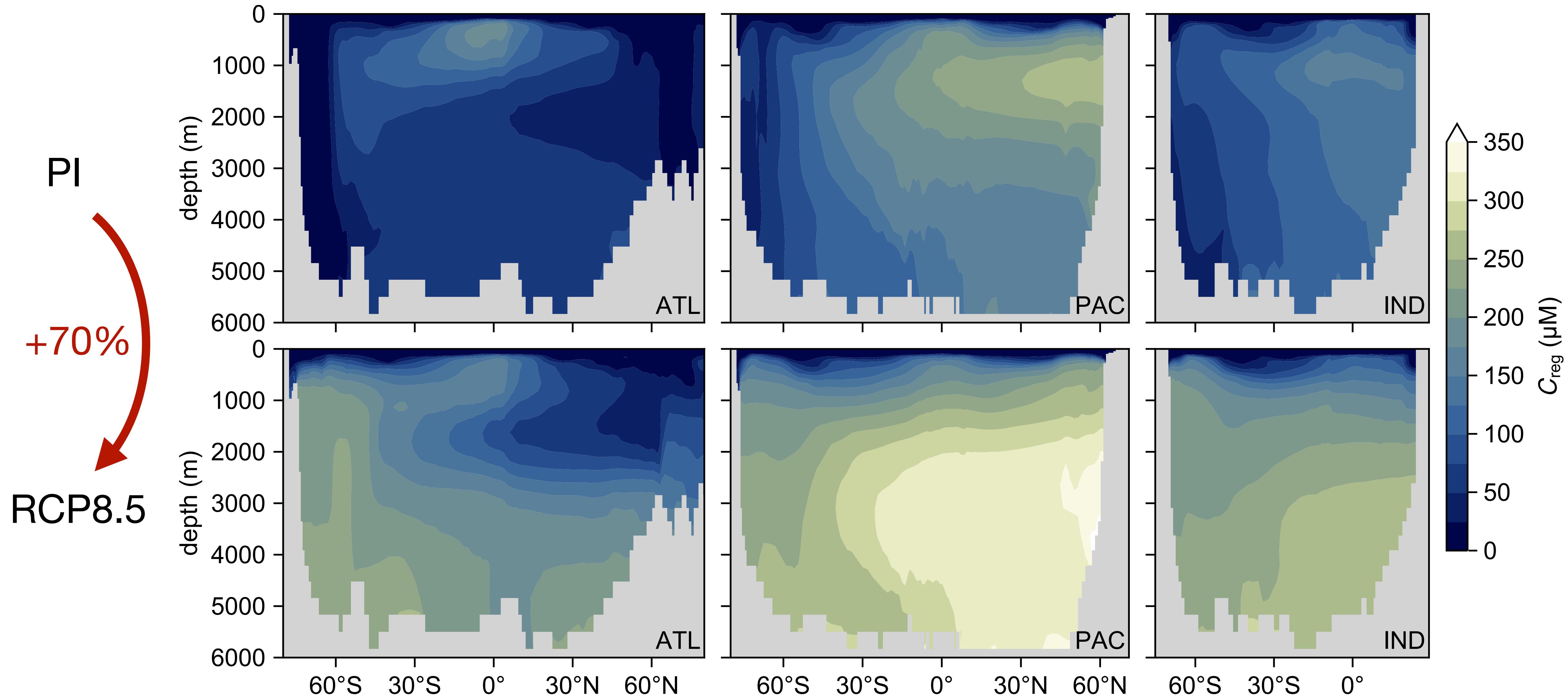
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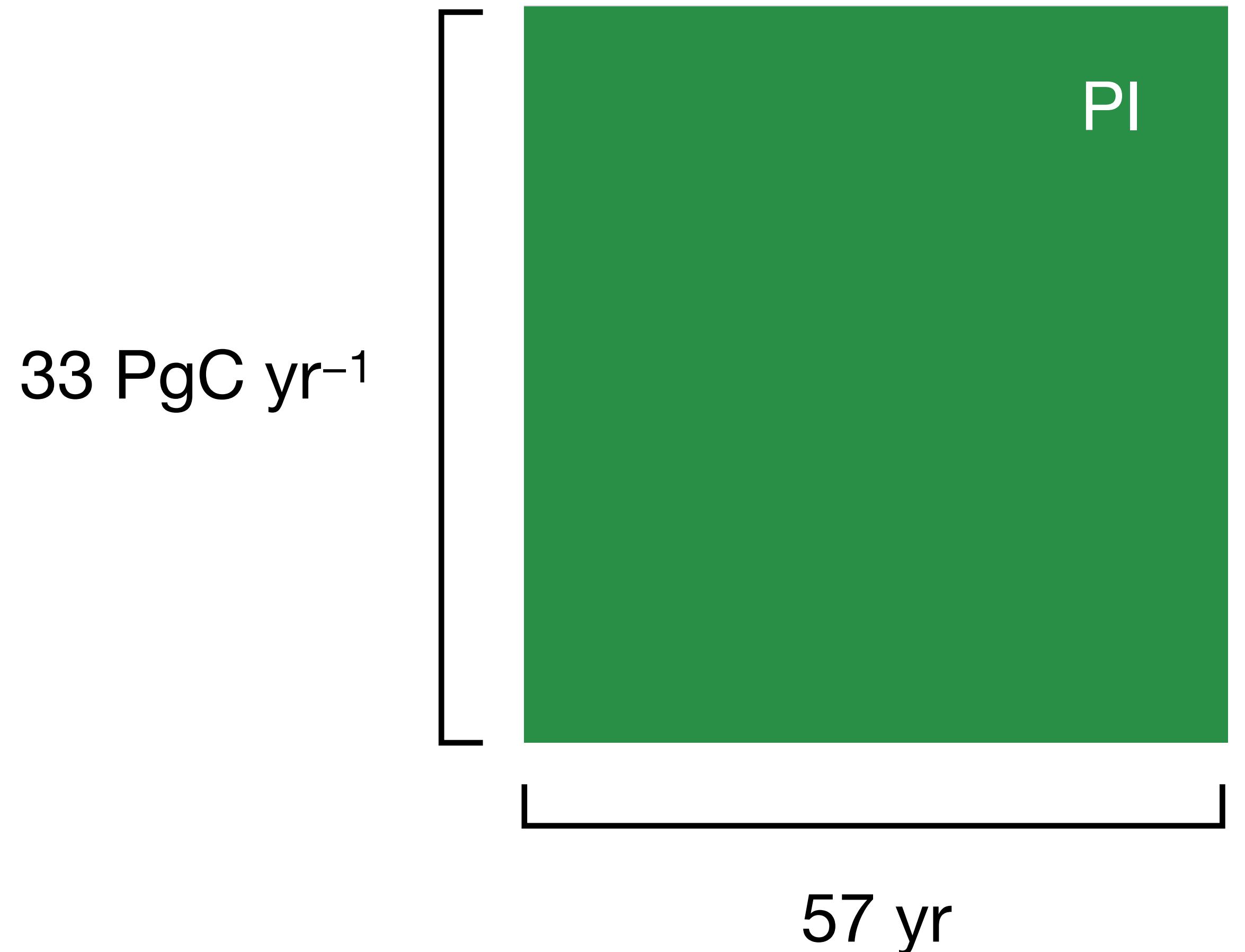
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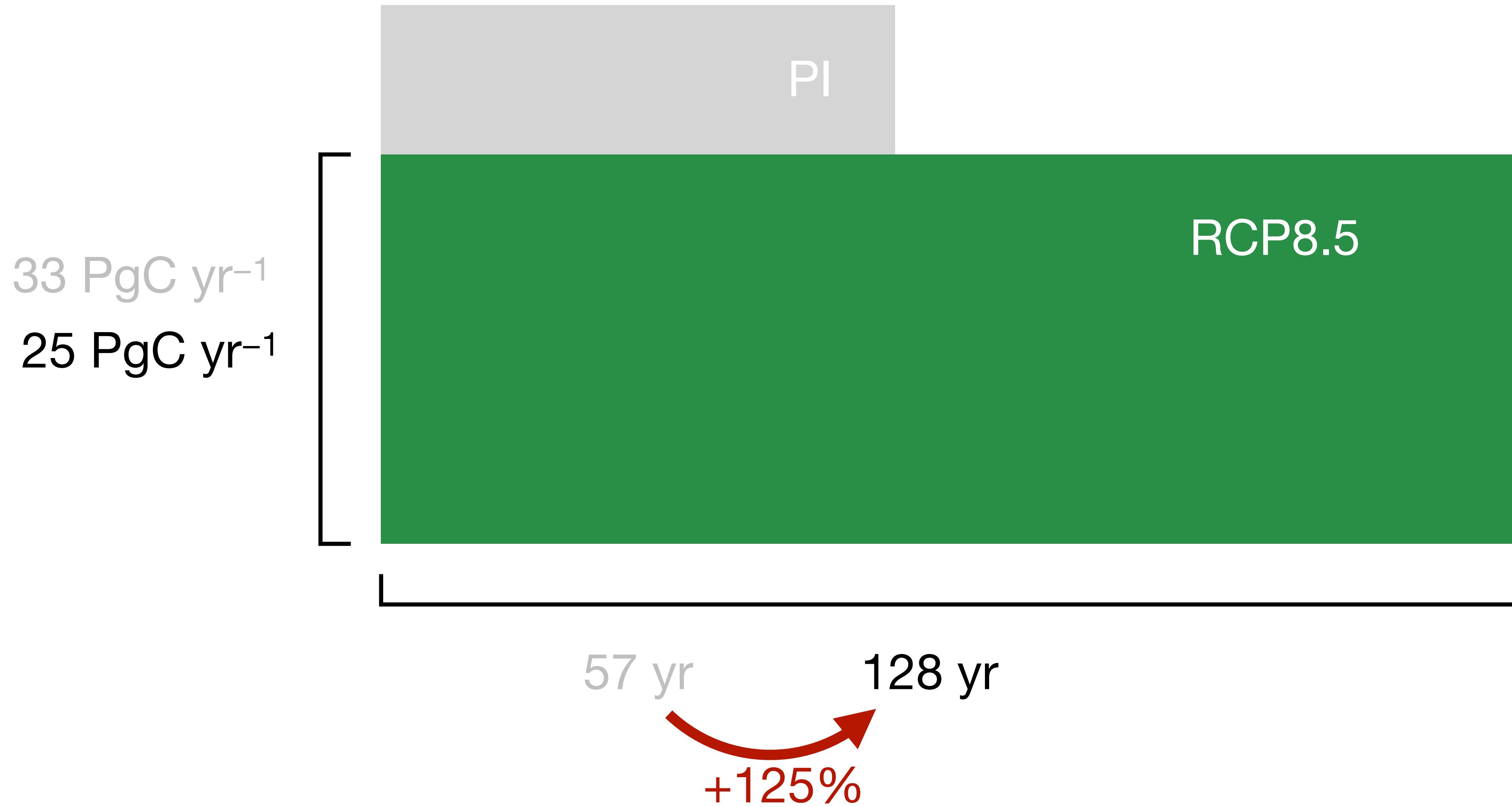


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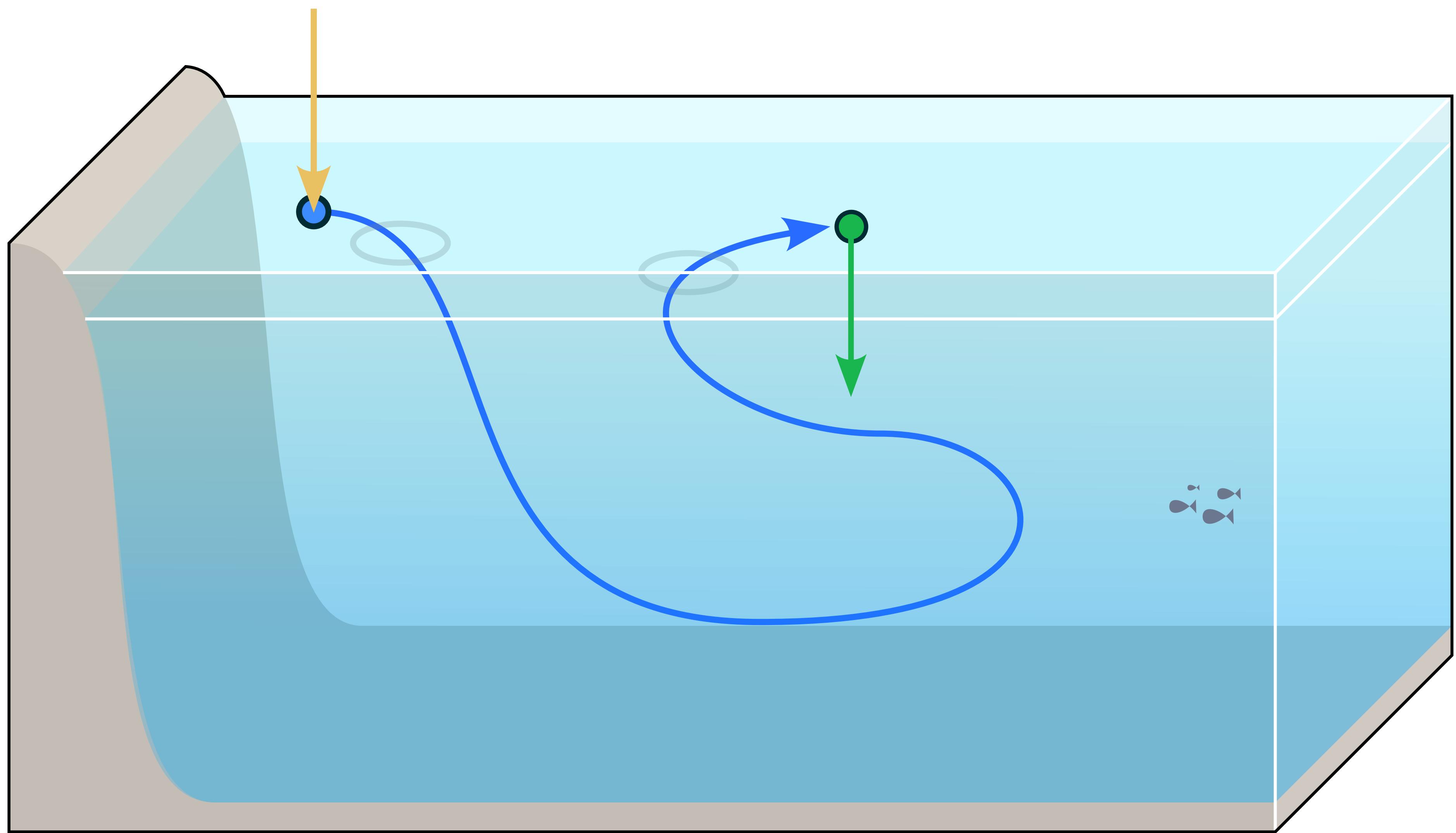
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Slower circulation  $\Rightarrow$  longer residence time



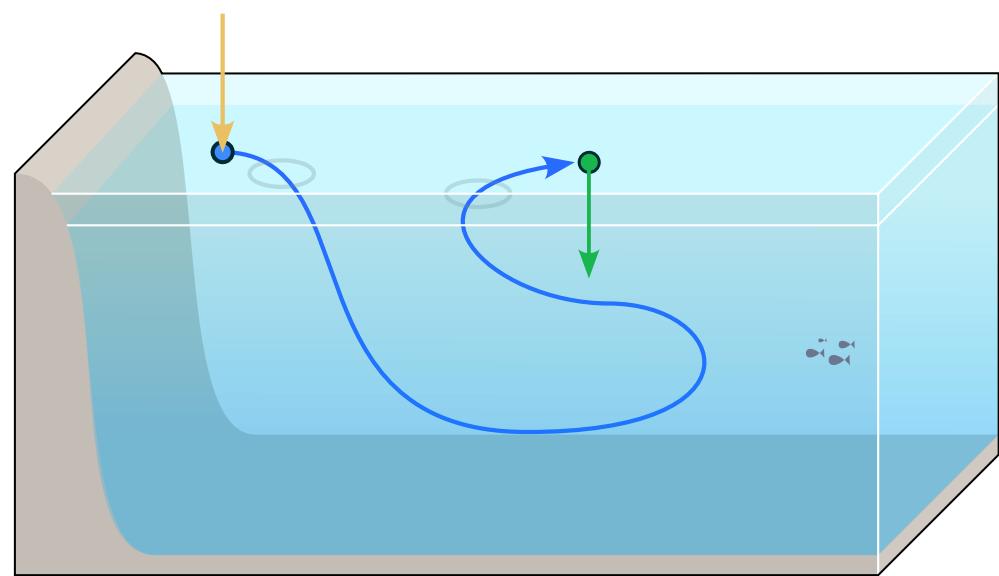
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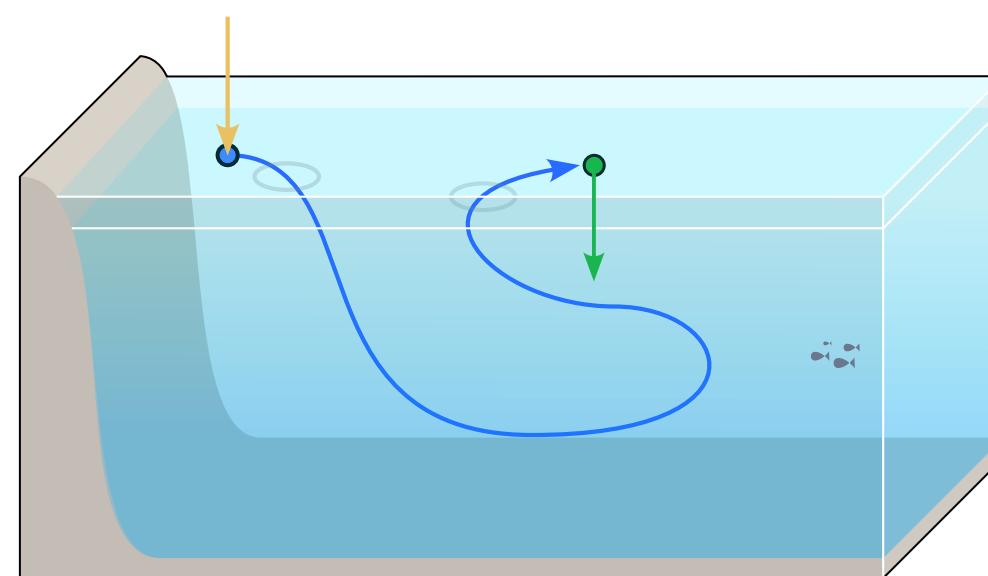
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PI

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# Tracking preformed C: shorter residence times!?

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295 PgC yr<sup>-1</sup>

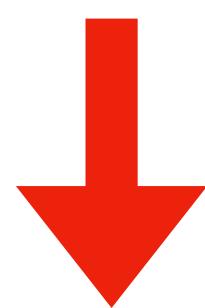
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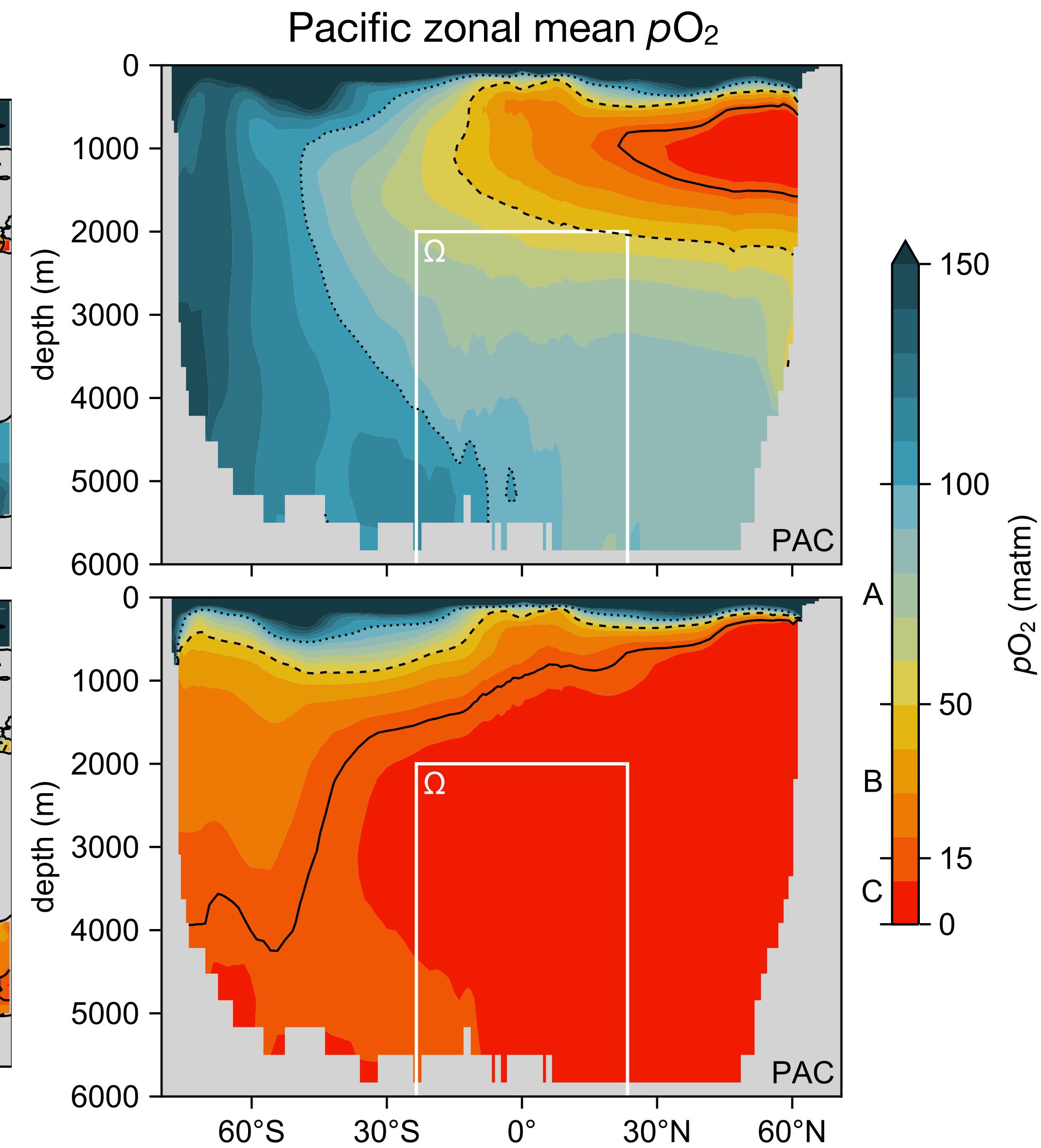
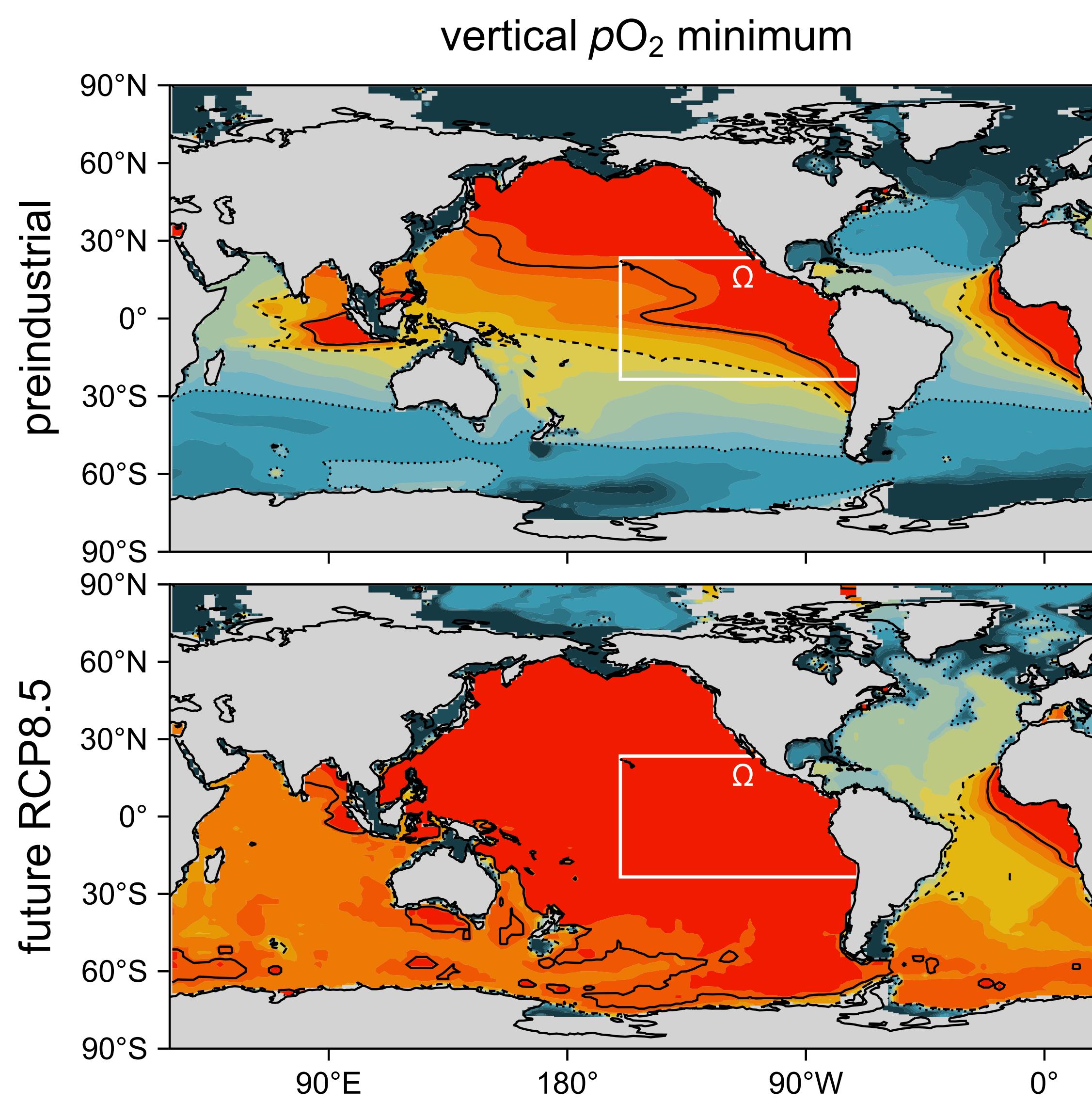
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Upper/deep ocean isolated

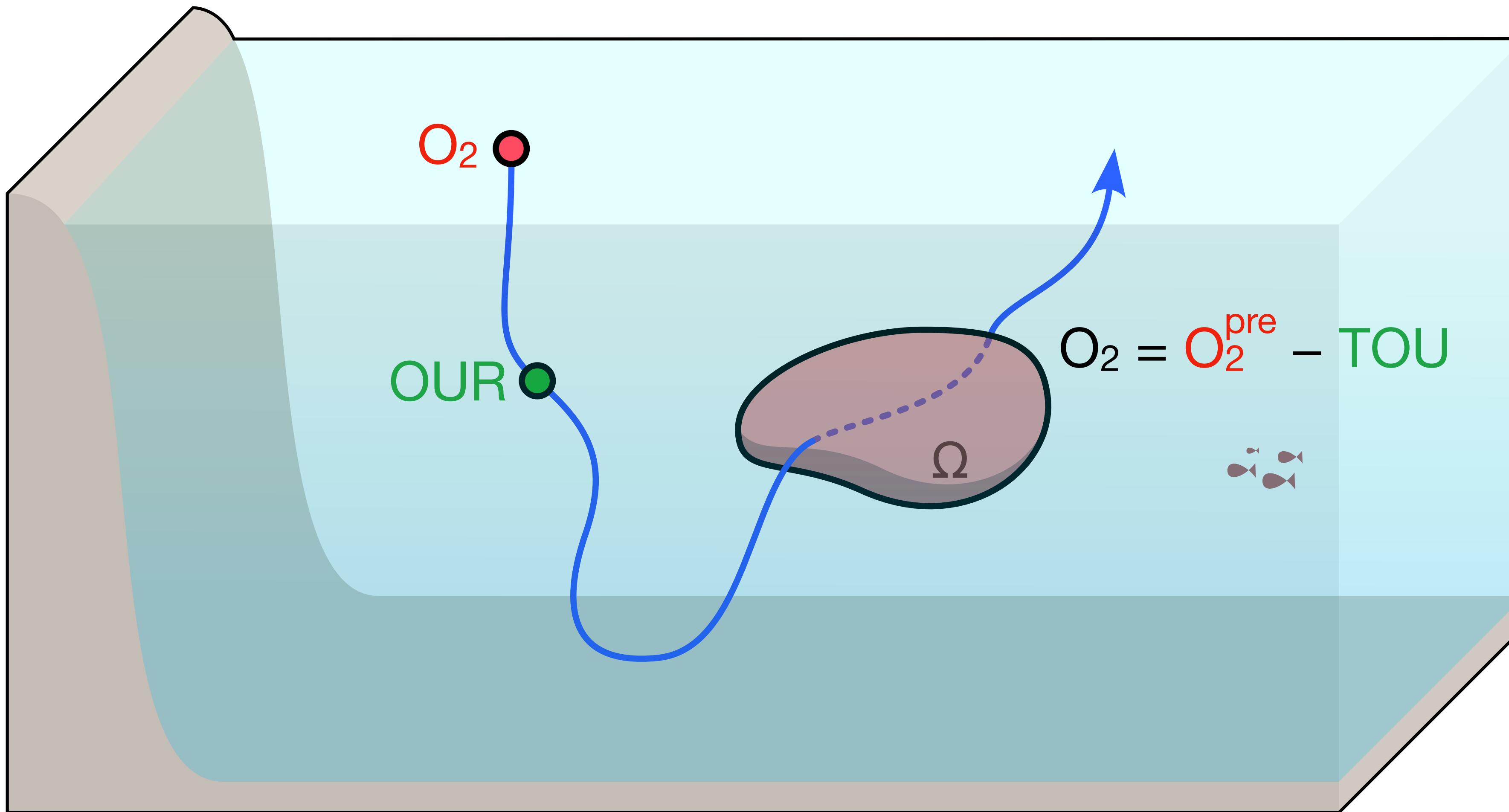


shoaled pathways  
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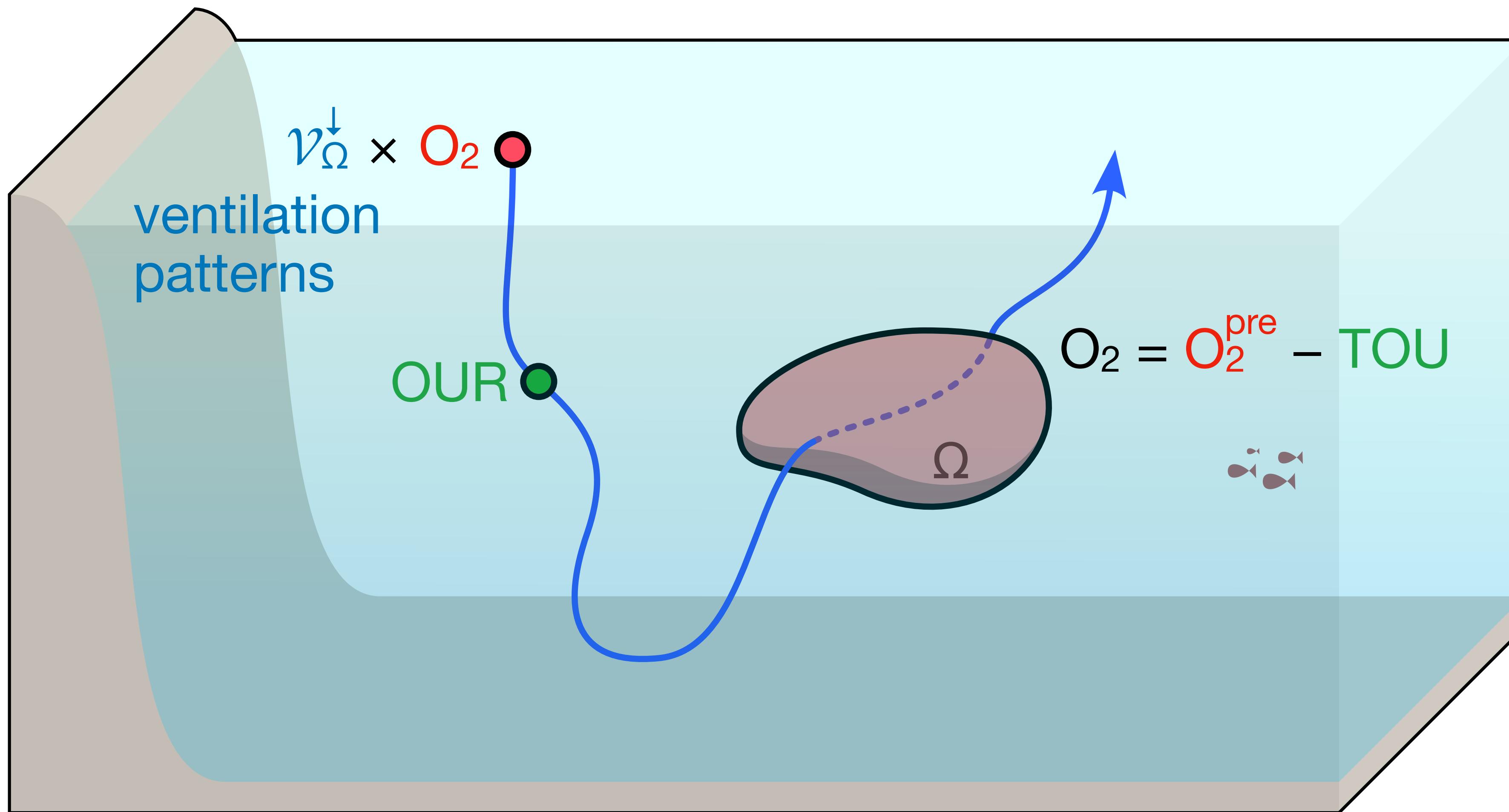
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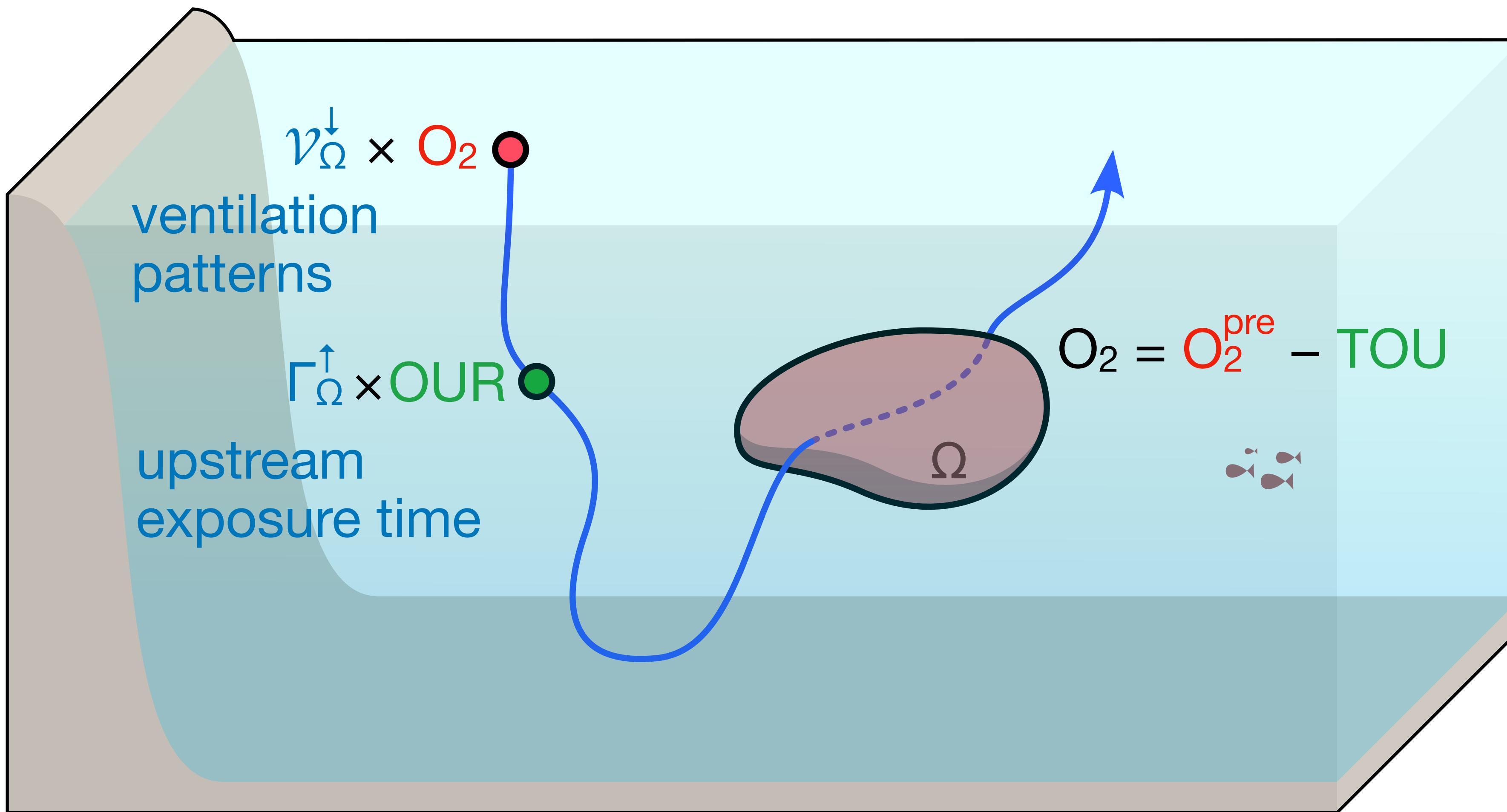
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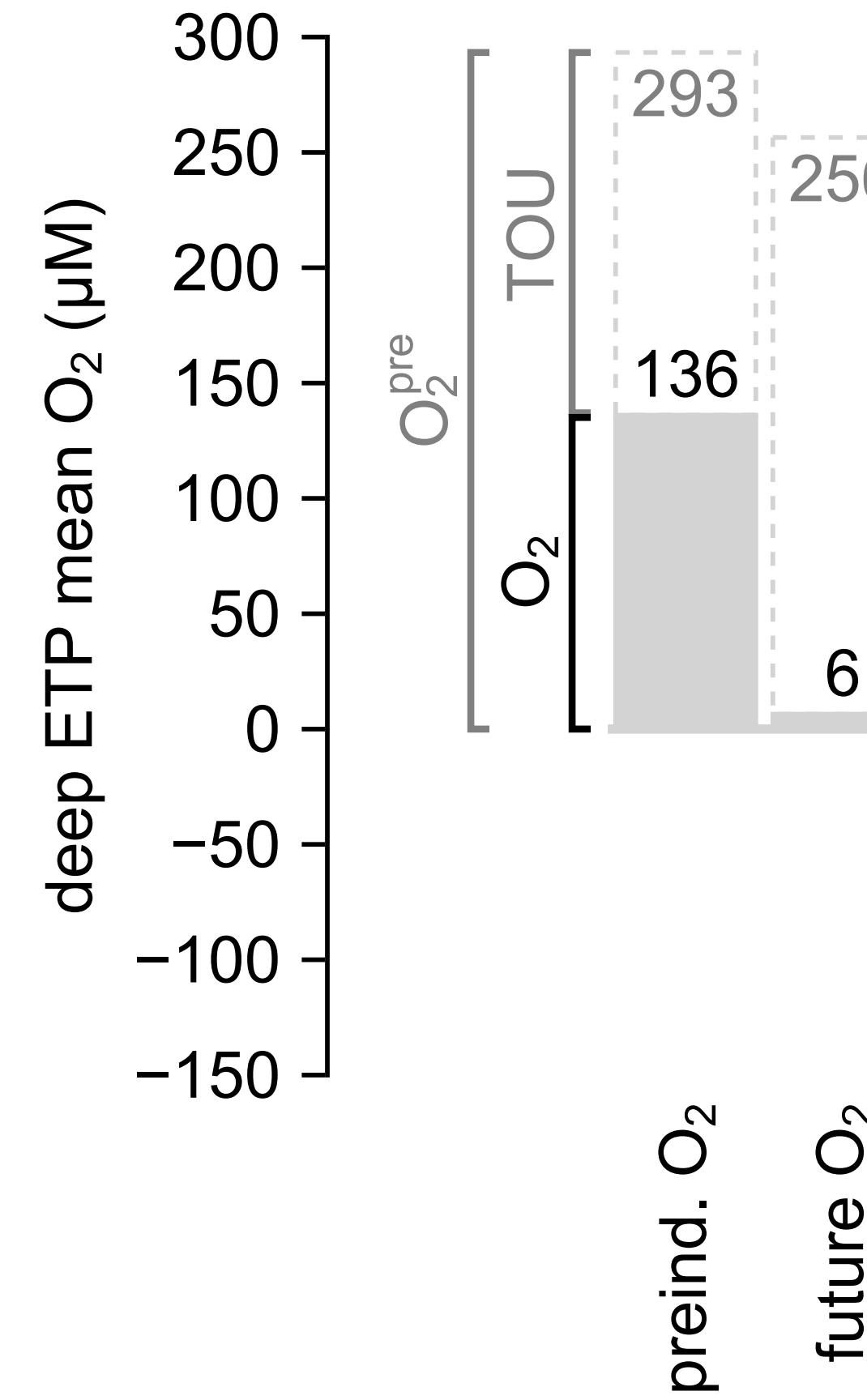
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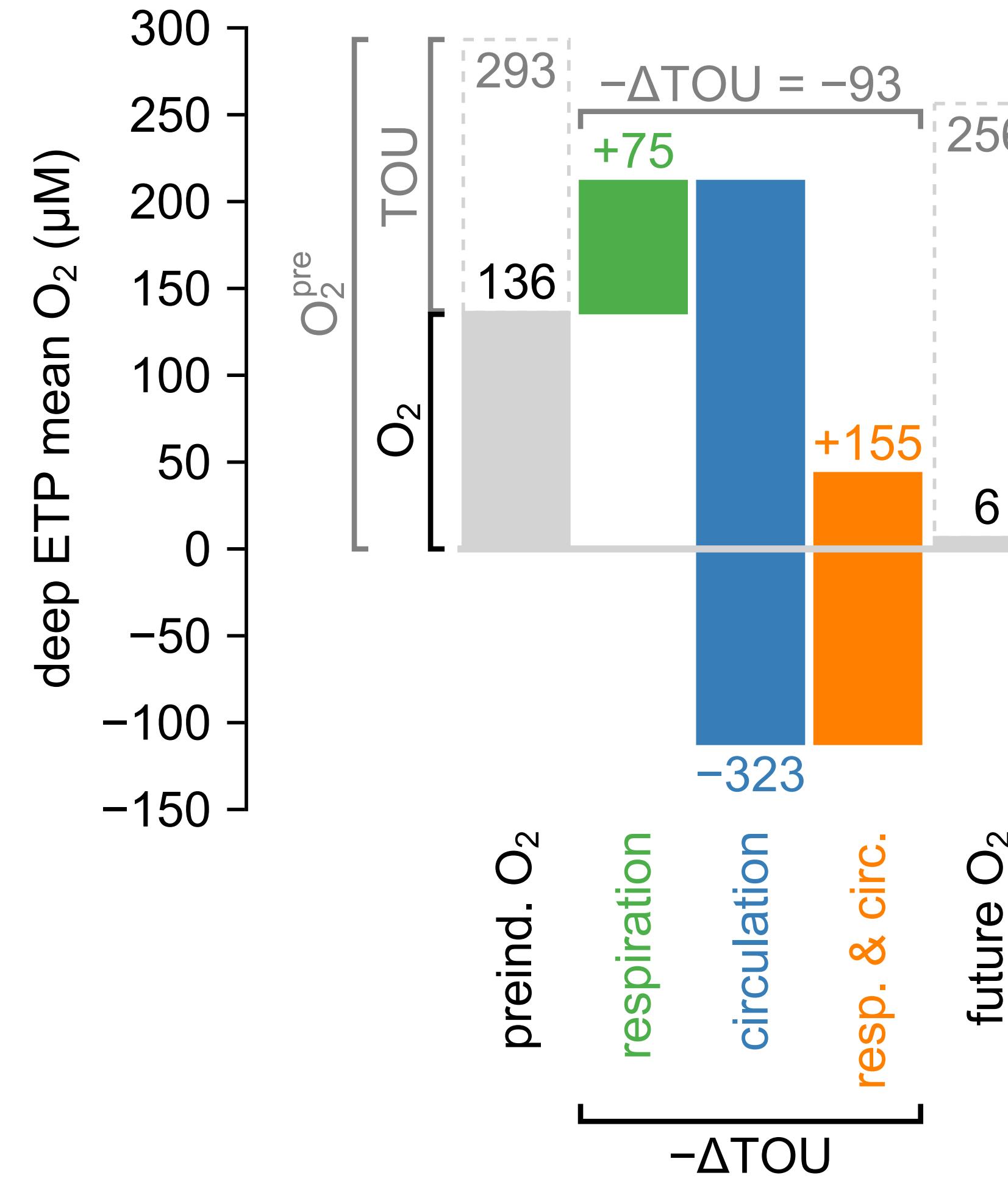
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