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An Early Cyclic Universe¹ WILLIAM DUHE, TIRTHIBIR BISWAS,
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the Emergent Cyclic Inflation scenario. This is a scenario where instead of traditional
monotonic slow roll inflation, the universe expands over numerous short asymmetric
cycles due to the production of entropy via interactions among different species. This
is one of the very few scenarios of inflation which provides a nonsingular geodesically
complete space-time and does not require any “reheating” mechanism.

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